

# FAIRHAVEN



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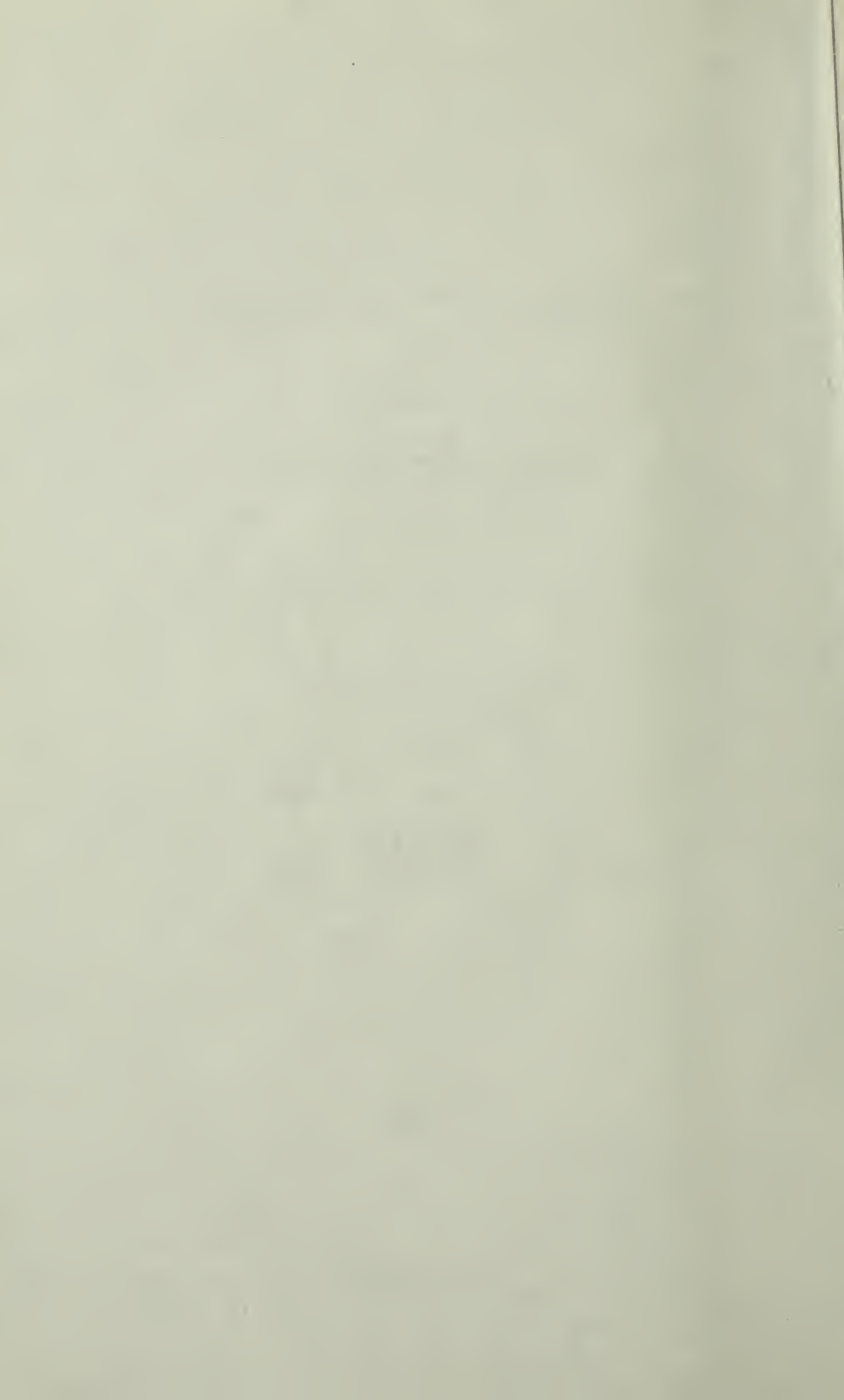
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BOARD OF SELECTMEN  
FAIRHAVEN  
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ANNUAL REPORT  
of  
The Town Offices  
of  
Fairhaven, Massachusetts



For The  
Year 1983





## **TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN**

Settled 1653

Incorporated 1812

Population 15,793 — 1980 Federal Census

Tenth Congressional District

First Councillor District

Bristol and Plymouth Senatorial District

Tenth Bristol Representative District

## **ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

First Monday in April

**FAIRHAVEN, MASSACHUSETTS**  
**GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE TOWN**

Located

On the Shore of Buzzards Bay

56 Miles from Boston

1 Mile from New Bedford

Registered Voters — 8538

Tax Rate — \$24.00

100% Valuation — \$285,638,780.00

Area 7,497 Acres

Miles of Shore Property — 21

Miles of Streets and Roads — Approximately 91

Number of Dwellings — 5378

Churches — 12

Public Schools — 6

Private Schools — 4

Banks — 6

Principal Industries — 6

Ship Building

Winches and Fishing Machinery

Tack and Nail Making

Oil Refinery

Fishing Industry

Fish Freezing

Loam Crank Shafts

Diesel Engine Repairing

**Benefactions of the Late Henry Huttleston Rogers**

Millicent Library

High School

Unitarian Memorial Church

Masonic Building

Town Hall

Rogers School

Fairhaven Water Works

Cushman Park

## DIRECTORY OF TOWN OFFICERS

(Effective Officials Designated by Capital Letters)

### BOARD OF SELECTMEN

EVERETT J. MACOMBER, JR., <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1984
WALTER SILVEIRA	Term Expires 1985
ROBERT W. FOSTER	Term Expires 1986
Alice S. Torres	Executive Secretary
Doris P. Blanchard	Principal Clerk
Elsie B. Wilson	Senior Clerk

### TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER

JOSEPH A. SALADINO	Term Expires 1986
Elaine Rocha	Assistant Town Clerk and Treasurer
Ruth B. Loughlin	Senior Clerk
Joyce Cabral	Senior Clerk

### TAX COLLECTOR

ALPHONSE S. BARANOWSKI	Term Expires 1986
Ilene A. Rego*	Senior Clerk
Claire Medeiros	Clerk
Edna S. Crane	Clerk
Anna R. Beadle, retired	
*Barbara M. Laverdiere, retired	

### ASSESSORS

JEANNE REEDY*	Term Expires 1984
MARJORIE J. SYLVIA, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985
HAROLD B. NOWELL	Term Expires 1986
Bonnie F. Clark	Clerk
Linda J. Smith	Clerk
*Ronald J. Manzone, resigned	

### MODERATOR

CHESTER A. HATHAWAY	Term Expires 1985
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## COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

WILLIAM F. ROGERS	Term Expires 1984
DANIEL A. MELLO	Term Expires 1985
RICHARD H. CARPENTER	Term Expires 1986

## BOARD OF HEALTH

FRANK BARCELLOS	Term Expires 1984
DR. EDWARD J. MEE	Term Expires 1985
DR. GEORGE WALMSLEY, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1986
Shirley M. Rose	Board Secretary
Milton K. Delano	Part-time Sanitarian
Patricia B. Fowle	Part-time Sanitarian
Elsie T. Cecil	Senior Clerk
Ada M. Macomber, R.N.	Community Nurse Administrator
Kevin Barao	Animal Inspector
Kevin Barao	Burial of Animals

## BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

PAUL E. FRANCIS	Term Expires 1984
JOSEPH CATALDO, JR., <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985
VICTOR OLIVEIRA, JR.	Term Expires 1986
MANUEL CORREIRA	Term Expires 1987
DAVID SZELIGA	Term Expires 1988
Jeffrey W. Osuch	Public Works Superintendent
John B. Harrison	Highway Division Superintendent
Alfred Raphael	Supervisor and Chief Treatment Plant Operator
Lucien E. Fortin	Water Division Superintendent
George W. Bragga	Head Clerk Secretary
Frances Robillard	Principal Clerk
Sheila-Rae Rodrigues	Senior Clerk
Claire Desrosiers	Senior Clerk
Joyce A. Lister	Senior Clerk
Kathy A. Tripp	Senior Clerk

## HOUSING AUTHORITY

HAZEL KIDD	Term Expires 1984
WALTER J. BOROWICZ	Term Expires 1985
ROBERT R. NORRIS, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1987
JOHN E. KEARY	Term Expires 1988

## HOUSING AUTHORITY — *Continued*

Arnold Correia	Term Expires 1985
Stanley A. Wojcik	Director
Urania M. Oliveira	Board Secretary

## PLANNING BOARD

ANTONE COSTA, JR.	Term Expires 1984
ANTONE "RED" MEDEIROS	Term Expires 1984
ARNOLD CORREIA	Term Expires 1985
CHANNING W. HAYWARD	Term Expires 1985
ALBERT BORGES, JR.	Term Expires 1986
JOHN RODERIGUES, JR.	Term Expires 1986
RAYMOND FLEURENT, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1987
ALBERT RODERIGUES	Term Expires 1987
Nicholas F. Tangney	Planner
Joyce A. Lister	Board Secretary

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

HOLLY A. OSTNEBERG	Term Expires 1984
GILBERT VIEIRA	Term Expires 1984
WILLIAM R. HOLT	Term Expires 1985
LOUIS KRUGER*	Term Expires 1985
ARMAND BECOTTE, JR.	Term Expires 1986
JOHN ROGERS, JR.	Term Expires 1986

\*Peter F. Barcellos, resigned

## TREE WARDEN

OMER BLANCHETTE	Term Expires 1985
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## TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Jane K. Ellis

## ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Kevin Barao  
Stephen W. Rebello, *Deputy*



## BOARD OF APPEALS

Albert F. Benac	Term Expires 1984
William C. Brennan, <i>Secretary</i>	Term Expires 1985
Daryl Manchester, <i>Associate</i>	Term Expires 1985
Edwin J. Marnik, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1986
Ann Moore, <i>Associate</i>	Term Expires 1986
Frank Marujo	Term Expires 1987
R. Bradley Carle	Term Expires 1988

## BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Timothy M. Allison	Building Commissioner
Shirley M. Rose	Secretary
Elsie T. Cecil	Senior Clerk
Harry Whiting	Gas Inspector
Milton K. Delano	Gas Inspector
William J. Alphonse	Associate Gas Inspector
Joseph U. Cardoza	Associate Gas Inspector
William J. Alphonse	Plumbing Inspector
Joseph U. Cardoza	Plumbing Inspector
Arthur L. Cushing	Chief Wire Inspector
Carlton Davis	Associate Wire Inspector
Randall C. Durrigan	Associate Wire Inspector
Raymond A. Morse, retired	

## CIVIL DEFENSE

Macy F. Joseph, III*	Director
Anthony Gomes	Deputy Director
Christine E. Lawrence**	Board Secretary

\*Joseph Hampson, resigned

\*\*Debra S. Besse, resigned

## CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Channing W. Hayward, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1984
George R. Souza	Term Expires 1984
Brian A. Young	Term Expires 1984
Marinus VanderPol, Jr.	Term Expires 1985
Steven M. Pacheco	Term Expires 1985
Mark Howland	Term Expires 1986
John Sylvia	Term Expires 1986
Joyce Cabral	Board Secretary

## COUNCIL ON AGING

Elmira D. McKenzie*	Term Expires 1984
Pedro Monteiro**	Term Expires 1984
Monica Belliveau	Term Expires 1985
Virginia A. Carey	Term Expires 1985
John E. Keary	Term Expires 1986
George F. O'Neil	Term Expires 1986
Dr. George W. Walmsley	Term Expires 1986
Doris Green	Director

\*E. Sandra Crane, resigned

\*\*John B. Humphreys, deceased

## DATA PROCESSING ADVISORY BOARD

Alphonse S. Baranowski	Joseph A. Saladino
Jane K. Ellis, <i>Coordinator</i>	Walter Silveira
Lynwood P. Harriman	Marjorie Sylvia
Jeffrey W. Osuch	

## FENCE VIEWER

Timothy M. Allison

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

Raymond A. Gardner	Member At Large
<b>Precinct 1</b>	
Roger Marx	Term Expires 1984
Hugh Shanahan	Term Expires 1985
<b>Precinct 2</b>	
Alexander Gonsalves	Term Expires 1984
Robert E. Braley	Term Expires 1985
<b>Precinct 3</b>	
Gilbert Couto	Term Expires 1984
Roger P. Bergeron	Term Expires 1985
<b>Precinct 4</b>	
Manuel Botelho	Term Expires 1984
<b>Precinct 5</b>	
Manuel Sylvia	Term Expires 1984
William R. Markey, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985

## FINANCE COMMITTEE — *Continued*

### Precinct 6

Joan Mello

Term Expires 1984

Dennis Gallant

Term Expires 1985

Jane K. Ellis

Secretary

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Richard H. Carpenter

Acting Fire Chief

Marie T. Tucker

Senior Clerk

## BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

Everett J. Macomber, Jr., *Chairman*

Walter Silveira

Robert W. Foster

## GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

James P. Honohan

Term Expires 1984

Raymond Sylvia

Term Expires 1987

## HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Everett J. Macomber, Jr.

*Chairman, Board of Selectmen*

Term Expires 1984

Diane Ashley

Term Expires 1984

Milton K. Delano

Term Expires 1984

Gail Isaken, *Associate\**

Term Expires 1984

Marjorie Potter, *Associate*

Term Expires 1984

Helen Radcliffe, *Associate*

Term Expires 1984

Kenneth R. Vining, *Associate*

Term Expires 1984

Nicholas F. Tangney, *Advisor*

Term Expires 1984

Rita E. Steele

Term Expires 1985

Louis A. Veilleux, Jr.

Term Expires 1985

Donald R. Bernard

Term Expires 1986

Elizabeth I. Hastings

Term Expires 1986

\*Edwin M. McQuillan, resigned



## INSPECTOR OF PETROLEUM

Frank Przybyszewski

## INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY

Elizabeth Isherwood	Term Expires 1984
Nicholas F. Tangney	Term Expires 1985
Joseph A. Saladino	Term Expires 1986
Daniel A. Mello	Term Expires 1987

## LOTTERY ARTS COUNCIL

Steven V. Dubin	Term Expires 1984
Jesse Fisher	Term Expires 1984
Christy Gunnels	Term Expires 1984
Dr. Peter London	Term Expires 1984
Raymond Morrow	Term Expires 1984
Antonio Santos, Jr.	Term Expires 1984
Pamela Thayer	Term Expires 1984
Dante Vena	Term Expires 1984
Severin Haines, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985

## MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK

Antone Medeiros

## MILLICENT LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Everett S. Allen	Marion N. Lewin
James B. Buckley	Everett J. Macomber, Jr.
George A. Bunnell, Jr.	Raymond McK. Mitchell
Jean Campbell	John D. Moore
Virginia A. Carey	Paul Peralta-Ramos
Florence R. Carpenter	Anita Carroll Rose
Robert D. Coe	Walter Silveira
Irma V. Darwin	Rita E. Steele, Secretary
Earl J. Dias	Alice S. Torres
Dennis A. Duval	Pearl E. Wilbor
James P. Honohan	

## MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

Omer Blanchette

## NEW BEDFORD — FAIRHAVEN HARBOR COMMISSION

Clement E. Daley\*

Walter Silveira

Joseph F. Pauline

\*Edwin J. McQuillan, resigned

## PERSONNEL BOARD

Peter F. Staiti\*

Term Expires 1984

David Sykes

Term Expires 1984

Norris Waleca

Term Expires 1985

Bradford Paiva

Term Expires 1986

Paula C. Simonson\*\*

Board Secretary

\*Robert Swift, resigned

\*\*Rosa Chipel, resigned

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Peter F. Barcellos

Police Chief

## PUBLIC WEIGHER

John Gracia

Thomas R. Thomas

## PUBLIC WEIGHER OF FISH

Wilfred Benjamin, Headweigher

Noel Staples, Deputy

Earl R. Dube, Deputy

## RECREATION COMMISSION

Raymond A. Dean

Stephen Medeiros

David Davignon

Holly Ostneberg

Antone Medeiros

Marjorie A. Westgate

David Medeiros

Janice Benoit

Board Secretary

## REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Stephen Almeida	Term Expires 1984
Elizabeth Isherwood	Term Expires 1985
Margo Volterra	Term Expires 1986
Nicholas F. Tangney	Term Expires 1987
Channing W. Hayward	Term Expires 1988

## REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

E. Clyde Blackburn*	Term Expires 1984
Delphine B. Lanagan, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985
Anson W. Paine	Term Expires 1986
Joseph A. Saladino	Clerk
Elaine Rocha, <i>Associate</i>	
Ruth B. Loughlin, <i>Associate</i>	
Eleanor Young, <i>Associate</i>	
Joyce Cabral, <i>Associate</i>	
*Mary J. McQuillan, resigned	

## RETIREMENT BOARD

Jane K. Ellis	Andrew J. Martin*
Earl M. Faunce, <i>Chairman</i>	Joan Benoit, Clerk
*Joseph A. Saladino, resigned	

## SAFETY COUNCIL

Peter Barcellos	John Hergenhan
Armand Becotte, Jr.	Brenda LeBlanc
Richard H. Carpenter	Walter Silveira
Robert W. Foster	Ingrid Simmons
Joseph Hampson	

## SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Lynwood P. Harriman	Superintendent
Andrew J. Martin	Business Administrator
Nesta M. Oliveira	Administrative Secretary
Theresa Shurtleff	Secretary to the Superintendent
Barbara M. Murray	Senior Account Clerk
Flora Tapper	Food Services Clerk

## SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Frank E. Przybyszewski

## SHELLFISH WARDEN, HARBORMASTER, AND WHARFINGER

Joseph F. Pauline

George F. Joseph, *Deputy Wharfinger*

## DEPUTY SHELLFISH WARDENS

Bradford Allua

David Cardin

George DeTerra, Jr.

John J. Farias

Joseph Medeiros

Robert Silver

## TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

Marinus VanderPol, Jr.

Kenneth R. Vining

Channing W. Hayward

Term Expires 1984

Term Expires 1985

Term Expires 1986

## VETERANS' BENEFITS AND SERVICES

Everett J. Macomber, Jr.

Esther Wojcik

Veterans' Agent

Principal Clerk

## VETERANS' BURIAL AGENT

Paul A. Gordon

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The Board of Selectmen organized in 1983 with Everett J. Macomber as Chairman and Veterans' Agent and Robert W. Foster as Clerk.

"Free Cash" or "Available Funds" certified by the Department of Revenue was \$283,341 which is considerably lower than last year. This low figure coupled with the requirements of Proposition 2½, the increase in bonded indebtedness, and the re-negotiation of most of the existing labor contracts will necessitate very prudent expenditures and caution in using any of this money when computing the next fiscal year's tax rate.

Our Town Planner, Mr. Nicholas F. Tangney continues to put emphasis on the development of the existing zoned industrial and business areas. The proposed CARD (Commercial Area Revitalization District) is of utmost importance to the "Center" of Fairhaven with particular emphasis on restoration of existing buildings and houses and infrastructural improvements in the area. Faith in the Town of Fairhaven by the long-time tenants of the "Center" who give us their complete cooperation by showing interest in the revitalization, is most encouraging. With their help and that of the Fairhaven Council of the Chamber of Commerce, we hope that the necessary funding will be made by the appropriate state agencies to implement our CARD program.

Our Planner has also been instrumental in acquiring a Small Cities Grant in the amount of \$272,000 which was added to a town appropriation to eliminate the Rotch Street Pumping Station and other work related thereto.

The Board is also assisted by the Chamber of Commerce in our constant effort to bring about a replacement of the New Bedford-Fairhaven Bridge. Several meetings between the Chamber and town officials along with many business people were held to come up with a mutual decision on what is best for the Town and the area as a whole.

A stabilized tax rate was again accomplished through caution by all departments with the help of the Commonwealth by an increase in the "Cherry Sheet" receipts.

Our Police Department continues to operate with maximum efficiency under the excellent supervision of our Chief. One more Sergeant was added to cover the shifts not presently covered by a ranking officer; and to better the chain of command, a lieutenant's examination has been ordered and will be held shortly. A DWI (Drinking While Intoxicated) program funded completely by the Commonwealth was very successful; so much so, that the Board has endorsed the Chief's request for town funding of this program in the next fiscal year's budget.



Because of Civil Service delays, we still do not have the services of a permanent full-time Fire Chief. Mr. Richard H. Carpenter has, however, served as our Acting Fire Chief and has done an outstanding job as administrator during a very trying time in the department. This situation must and should be corrected within a very short period of time. Town Meeting authorized the purchase of a new fire pumper and we are presently awaiting the delivery of this new piece.

Macy F. Joseph, Jr. accepted the responsibility of Civil Defense Director after the resignation of Mr. Joseph Hampson who served capably for many years. This organization continues to give the community many hours of volunteer service with little cost for the operation of the office and the vehicles.

During a severe storm, all three safety departments showed their professionalism by their efforts on behalf of the residents of West Island. They were ready for any eventuality.

Departmental meetings were held several times and the majority of the departments were represented. We believe that we reached a cooperative understanding of each other's problems.

Out of one of these meetings, a Financial Management Council was formed whose job it will be to determine what revenues are available for expenditure at Town Meeting. With the help of the Governor, who has promised an early delivery of the "Cherry Sheet" showing reimbursements and charges, we hope to have an actual figure of monies available for use at Town Meeting. In the past we have had to work with estimated figures because the State reimbursement figures were not available.

The delay in receiving the "Cherry Sheet" along with the many problems associated with the implementation of a new software computer program for the tax bills, made it impossible to set the tax rate early enough to get the tax bills out on time. It was, therefore, necessary for our Town Treasurer to borrow three million dollars in anticipation of revenue. With the early receipt of the "Cherry Sheet" and the elimination of all the "kinks" in the computer program, this will not be necessary in the future.

With the completion of the town's Board of Public Works building, several buildings were left vacant and we were able to dispose of the Highway Department barn and adjacent land for the sum of \$62,000; the Ferry Street Pumping Station for \$53,000; and the Park Department building was kept for use by the town and turned over to the Historical Commission for use by the Fairhaven Protecting Society for the development of a Fire Museum.

The disposition of the Anthony School has been more difficult. Several contacts were made and at the present time, there is no viable developer for the property. The Fairhaven Housing Authority is presently making a determination as to whether or not they could use the area for additional housing for the elderly due to the need for this type of housing.

Mayor Lawler from the City of New Bedford asked for our reconsideration in rejoining the Regional Refuse Disposal District. Upon the recommendation of the Board of Public Works Superintendent, Mr. Jeffrey Osuch, we voted not to rejoin the District unless the members considered a direct haul of rubbish to Crapo Hill and that we would not be obligated to pay for any part of the transfer station at Shawmut Avenue. SEMASS resource recovery continues to pound away at trying to get our commitment for our rubbish, but at the present time, we will remain "status quo" based on the guidance of the Board of Public Works Superintendent. Fairhaven is in a good position because we still have an ample number of years left in the use of our landfill area. We must, however, be aware that the problem is not going to go away and we will be faced with a decision in the not too distant future.

Mrs. Doris Green, the Director of the Council on Aging has been able to acquire several grants from the Department of Elder Affairs for the renovation of the Malcolm M. Cummings Senior Citizens Center. New chairs were acquired, the vestibule was reconstructed, new windows installed, the parking lot was gravelled, new drapes were hung, and a handicapped bathroom was finished. This program continues to grow due to the ever increasing number of seniors.

Proposition 2½ hovers over all decisions made by all appointed and elected officials. The Board of Selectmen will continue their departmental meetings as needed to give and receive everyone's input for the sole purpose of trying to do what is best for the citizens and taxpayers of Fairhaven. Our gratitude goes out to all officials and employees and to the townspeople for their sense of pride in our town and for their cooperation and understanding.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT J. MACOMBER, *Chairman*  
WALTER SILVEIRA  
ROBERT W. FOSTER

# ANALYSIS OF REVENUE APPROPRIATIONS — FISCAL YEAR — 1983

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
<b>General Government</b>									
Moderator:									
Salary		274.22			274.22				
Selectmen:									
Salaries		6,541.40			6,541.40				
Office Salaries		54,272.71	1,000.00		53,850.21			1,422.50	
Operating Expenses		3,193.50	606.09		3,797.38			2.21	
Capital Outlay		501.00	200.00		651.95			49.05	
Out-of-State Travel		1.00						1.00	
Operating Expenses	300.00				300.00				
Town Accountant:									
Salary		15,477.30			15,473.64			3.66	
Operating Expenses		1,150.00	67.48		1,215.98			1.50	
Data Processing		60,000.00			59,625.14				374.86
Treasurer:									
Salary		10,243.66			10,243.66				
Office Salaries		17,007.89			16,316.83			691.06	
Operating Expense		14,440.00			13,084.94			1,355.06	
Tax Title Expense		6,500.00			6,419.70			80.30	
Town Clerk:									
Salary		8,741.00			8,741.00				
Office Salaries		16,651.95			15,354.33			1,297.62	
Operating Expenses		2,410.00			2,407.86			2.14	
Town Collector:									
Salary		11,767.98			11,767.98				
Office Salaries		26,280.91	7,624.38		33,740.65			164.64	
Operating Expenses		9,930.00			9,805.85			124.15	



Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
<b>Assessors:</b>									
Salaries		32,738.73			32,526.75			211.98	
Office Salaries		16,330.23			14,868.64			1,461.59	
Operating Expenses		18,793.00			18,790.30			2.70	
<b>Elections and Registration:</b>									
Salaries		16,656.00			14,460.80			2,195.20	
Operating Expenses		5,492.00			5,484.00			8.00	
Operating Expenses	2,500.00				2,500.00				
<b>Town Hall:</b>									
Salaries		10,581.76	500.00		10,949.26			132.50	
Operating Expenses		20,365.00	8,160.04		28,263.21			261.83	
Restoration, 1980	10,000.00								10,000.00
Restoration, 1981	16,676.16				16,572.05				104.11
<b>Council on Aging:</b>									
Salaries		22,665.79	326.04		22,924.67			67.16	
Capital Outlay			3,000.00		2,482.26			517.74	
Building Repairs, 1981	7,233.19				4,757.00				2,476.19
<b>Town Meeting:</b>									
Salaries		950.00			545.32			404.68	
Operating Expenses		3,250.00			2,064.85			1,185.15	
<b>Finance Committee:</b>									
Salaries		1,000.00			518.76			481.24	
Operating Expenses		1,480.00			1,174.92			305.08	
<b>Planning Board:</b>									
Salaries		800.00			794.43			5.57	
Operating Expense		2,975.00			2,551.41			423.59	
<b>Appeals Board:</b>									
Salaries		400.00	250.00		633.60			16.40	
Operating Expenses		442.00	250.00		611.13			80.87	

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
<b>Personnel Board:</b>									
Salaries		750.00			691.89			58.11	
Operating Expenses		935.00	3,500.00		3,965.73				469.27
<b>Conservation Commission</b>									
Salaries		325.00	40.76		365.76				
Operating Expenses		225.00	8.41		233.41				
<b>Mass. Employment Security</b>	5,559.37	25,000.00	10,000.00		38,163.00				2,396.37
Legal Expense		30,000.00	28,000.00		53,739.06			4,260.94	
Engineering		3,500.00	2,663.50		6,163.50			60.73	
<b>Civil Service Committee</b>	60.73								530.00
Printing Town									
By-Laws	530.00								
<b>1976 Unfinished Contracts</b>	60.00								60.00
<b>Easement, 1983</b>			1.00						1.00
<b>Totals</b>	42,919.45	481,039.03	66,197.70		556,408.43			17,335.95	16,411.80
<b>Public Safety</b>									
<b>Police Department:</b>									
Salaries		540,612.95	92,615.45		614,419.09			18,809.31	
Operating Expense		68,125.30	6,600.00		74,660.00			65.30	
Capital Outlay		225.00	9,168.00		9,236.00			157.00	
Out-of-State		1.00						1.00	
<b>Fire Department:</b>									
Salaries		317,090.02	57,148.21		365,581.44			8,656.79	
Operating Expenses		38,050.00	480.00		38,317.41			212.59	
Capital Outlay		4,260.00	8,090.00		12,228.45			121.55	

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
Fire Alarm System:									
Salaries		10,788.64			7,216.37			3,572.27	
Operating Expenses		2,900.00			2,893.35			6.65	
Building Department:									
Salaries		31,987.12			30,428.96			1,558.16	
Operating Expenses		2,040.00			1,722.81			317.19	
Capital Outlay		500.00	1,426.50		1,921.50			5.00	
Out-of-State Travel		400.00			281.71			118.29	
Tree Warden:									
Salary		1,442.70			1,442.64			.06	
Dutch Elm Disease:									
Salaries		4,000.00	146.78		4,146.78			619.83	
Operating Expenses		2,300.00			1,680.17				
Insect and Pest Control:									
Salaries		4,463.00	646.57		5,107.70			1.87	
Operating Expenses		2,080.00			1,669.74			410.26	
Shellfish Inspection:									
Salaries		15,027.48			14,001.34			1,026.14	
Operating Expenses		3,295.00			3,295.00				
Capital Outlay		250.00			28.00			222.00	
Shellfish Propagation:									
		7,500.00			7,500.00				
Care of Dogs:									
Salaries		11,747.09			11,747.09				
Operating Expenses		5,140.00	300.00		5,430.84			9.16	
Capital Outlay		300.00			271.02			28.98	
Civil Defense:									
Salaries		1,793.52			1,782.80			10.72	
Operating Expenses		7,525.00			6,417.31			1,107.69	
Capital Outlay		1.00						1.00	
Surplus Property:	2,141.42				926.50				1,214.92

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
Sealer of Weights/ Measures:									
Salaries		1,272.00			1,272.00				
Operating Expenses		775.00			708.14			66.86	
Totals	2,141.42	1,085,891.82	176,621.51	1,226,334.16				37,105.67	1,214.92
Health and Sanitation:									
Board of Health									
Salaries		1,667.28			1,667.28				
Office Salaries		25,568.66			19,395.69			6,172.97	
Operating Expenses		20,832.00			18,629.34			2,202.66	
Capital Outlay		75.00			66.35			8.65	
Landfill Facility									
Inspections	595.00				595.00				
Dana Pond Area									
Survey	1,390.00				1,390.00				
Sanitary Landfill									2,359.32
Construction, 1980	4,273.98				1,914.66				
Sanitary Landfill									
Construction, 1976	11,000.00				2,000.00				9,000.00
Mosquito Control	697.12	3,500.00			4,068.99				128.13
Mosquito Control, Chapter 112		5,500.00			5,500.00				
Totals	17,956.10	57,142.94			55,227.31			8,384.28	11,487.45

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
<b>Highways</b>									
<b>Board of Public Works:</b>									
<b>Administration</b>									
Salaries		35,152.32	3,387.00		38,439.31			100.01	
Operating Expenses		1,901.00	600.00		2,499.00			1.99	
Capital Outlay		1.00	500.00		497.00			4.00	
Out-of-State Travel		1.00						1.00	
<b>Highway Division:</b>									
Salaries		289,914.22	10,287.50		295,094.90	5,100.00		6.82	
Operating Expenses		119,200.00	30,836.65		150,036.65				
Capital Outlay		140,000.00			140,000.00				
Out-of-State Travel		1.00						1.00	
BPW Building, 1983				1,500,000.00			1,296,835.26		203,164.74
<b>Civil Defense</b>									
Headquarters, 1983		1.00							1.00
BPW Building, 1981	190.00				190.00				
Land — New Building	4,720.00					4,720.00			
<b>Plan/Design —</b>									
New Building	4,234.52				4,234.52				
BPW Equipment	12,800.00	3,924.00			16,724.00				
Curbing/Hardsurface									
Patch		20,000.00			8,236.00				11,764.00
Sidewalk Repair									
Program		12,500.00			12,500.00				
Drainage		5,000.00			5,000.00				
Sidewalks/Curbings		7,500.00			7,198.61			301.39	
Maitland Street									
Acceptance	1.00								1.00
Mill Road									
Acceptance		489.00			489.00				
New Boston Road									
Acceptance		1.00							1.00

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
Arsene Street Acceptance		1.00							1.00
Roadwork, 1983		175,228.00			147,993.41				27,234.59
Street Lighting		110,000.00	1,503.48		111,503.48				
Street Lights	1,284.12	78.71	58.95		1,421.78				
Union Wharf Repairs		3,850.00	4,075.00		7,925.00				
Union Wharf Install Lights		302.48							302.48
Union Wharf Blacktop		9,500.00			6,645.68				2,854.32
Union Wharf Construct Building		25,000.00			2,905.26				22,094.74
Union Wharf Miscellaneous		350.00			216.00				134.00
Dana Pond Area		53,000.00			53,000.00				
Crapo Hill Site, 1982		1.00							1.00
Street Resurfacing Program, 1982	9,988.11				6,527.09				3,461.02
Curbing/Hardsurfacing, 1982	17,543.56				17,543.56				
Roadwork, 1982	19,031.04				19,031.04				
Sidewalks and Curbings, 1982	174.28				174.28				
Street Resurfacing, 1981	8,458.59				6,934.78				1,523.81
Elm Avenue Drainage, 1981	278.26					278.26			
Babbitt Street Acceptance, 1976	58.75					58.75			
Orchard Street Acceptance, 1976	79.35					79.35			
Paul Street Acceptance, 1976	298.41					298.41			
Balsam Street Acceptance, 1978	75.00					75.00			
Causeway Road, 1978	25.00					25.00			



Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
Causeway Road Repairs, 1980	10,000.00				10,000.00				
Snow Removal, 1978	560.66				560.66				
Goulart Memorial Drive	1,985.40								1,985.40
Green Street, 1976	284.93								284.93
Middle Street Culvert, 1976	1,352.24								1,352.24
Easement, Art. 13, 1982	1.00								1.00
State Aid to Highways	46,034.79								46,034.79
Chapter 1140	3,891.74								3,891.74
<b>Totals</b>	143,350.75	1,012,896.73	51,248.58	1,500,000.00	1,073,521.02	10,634.77	1,296,835.26	416.21	326,088.80
<b>Veterans Services</b>									
Salaries		7,045.16			7,045.16				
Operating Expenses		32,067.00			22,145.00			9,922.00	
<b>Totals</b>		39,112.16			29,190.16			9,922.00	
<b>Schools</b>									
General Schools		5,376,669.00			5,375,187.09			1,481.91	
Capital Outlay		1,500.00			1,500.00				
High School Restoration	3.25					3.25			
School Roof Repairs				150,000.00				132,583.47	
School Const., 1963	6,498.95					6,498.95			17,416.53
School Zones, 1970	353.09								353.09
Greater New Bedford									
Vocational H.S.		160,431.00			160,431.00				
<b>Totals</b>	6,855.29	5,538,600.00		150,000.00	5,537,118.09	6,502.20	132,583.47	1,481.91	17,769.62
<b>Library</b>		160,305.06			160,305.06				

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
<b>Recreation/Unclassified</b>									
<b>Parks:</b>									
Salaries		35,245.60			28,996.07	6,237.00		12.53	
Operating Expenses	472.01	7,612.00			8,064.28			19.73	
Capital Outlay		750.00			750.00				
<b>Recreation:</b>									
Salaries		18,000.00			17,111.17			888.83	
Operating Expenses		3,110.00			2,754.86			355.14	
Contributory Retirement	628.04	365,659.57	8,264.76		374,100.94				451.43
Non-Contributory									
Retirement		7,141.10	366.50		7,507.60				
Town Insurance		160,921.00			105,730.41			55,190.59	
Group Insurance		14,372.06						14,372.06	
Reserve Fund		49,256.03	50,743.97		84,219.37			15,680.63	
Small Claims	105.68	1,000.00			500.00				605.68
Town Report		5,000.00			4,291.16				
Memorial Day		1,200.00			1,200.00			708.84	
Historical Commission	564.62	400.00			535.89				428.73
Academy Building	146.88	375.00			3,072.84				2,794.04
Fort Phoenix	924.34	250.00	5,345.00		553.90				620.44
Old Stone House	532.28	100.00			60.00				572.28
Moby Dick Trail	941.00				308.00				633.00
Bicycle Path	405.97								405.97
Hurricane Barrier		15,000.00			14,511.33			488.67	
Building Demolition		5,800.00			5,800.00				
Unpaid Bills/									
Prior Years		101.55			101.55				
Grimshaw Property—									
Study		200.00			62.05				137.95
Union Wharf		1.00						1.00	
New Bedford/									
Fairhaven Harbor									
Development Comm.		502.00							502.00



Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
Street Light Conservation Comm.	93.50								93.50
Civil Service Com., Contract									
w/New Bedford	7,000.00				1,000.00	7,000.00			
Veterans' War Memorial	1,000.00								
<b>Totals</b>	13,316.32	691,494.91	64,720.23		661,331.42	13,237.00		87,718.02	7,245.02
<b>Interest/Maturing Debt</b>									
Municipal Debt		608,280.00	40.00		608,320.00				
Interest on Debt	15,106.50	409,855.60	5,126.80		381,355.28			48,733.62	
Interest on Loans	9,842.47	10,000.00	5,528.50		25,370.97				
Interest on Revenue Loans		20,000.00	5,131.19		25,130.19			1.00	
Bond Expense	9,773.50	17,000.00			15,000.00				11,773.50
<b>Totals</b>	34,722.47	1,065,135.60	15,826.49		1,055,176.44			48,734.62	11,773.50
<b>Sewer Division</b>									
Salaries		195,444.08			185,609.73	9,800.00		34.35	
Operating Expenses		243,796.00			243,796.00				
Out-of-State Travel		1.00						1.00	
New Equipment — Load Luger		27,000.00			26,981.60			18.40	
Monitoring Treatment Plant Sludge	520.00	950.00			210.00				1,260.00
Harding Road Sewer Drain	5,462.50				3,907.50				1,555.00
Sewer System Survey	12,500.00								12,500.00
<b>Totals</b>	18,482.50	467,191.08			460,504.83	9,800.00		53.75	15,315.00

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
<b>Water Division</b>									
Salaries		156,848.80			149,848.52	7,000.00		.28	
Operating Expenses		148,300.00	7,000.00		155,297.89			2.11	
Water Purchases		60,000.00			59,966.50			33.50	
Capital Outlay		1.00						1.00	
Laurel Street		38,500.00				38,500.00			
West Island Study		25,000.00			17,863.00				7,137.00
Water Shed Survey	2,456.00	1,356.00							3,812.00
Insertion Valves	5,616.87				5,360.53			256.34	
Water System									
Rehabilitation		368,250.00			66,531.54				
Water Development	652,134.25						414,888.45		301,718.46
Water Development								64.00	237,245.80
Study	64.00								
Land Taking —									
Water	140.21							140.21	
Mattapoissett Station									
Design	1,775.00								1,775.00
Water Main									1.00
Easement	1.00								
Chambers Street —									
Water Main	126.45							126.45	
Water Survey —									
Four Towns	800.00							800.00	
<b>Totals</b>	663,113.78	798,255.80	7,000.00		454,867.98	45,500.00	414,888.45	1,423.89	551,689.26

# SUMMARY OF REVENUE APPROPRIATIONS

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
General Government	42,919.45	481,039.03	66,197.70		556,408.43			17,335.95	16,411.80
Public Safety	2,141.42	1,085,891.82	176,621.51		1,226,334.16			37,105.67	1,214.92
Health and Sanitation	17,956.10	57,142.94			55,227.31			8,384.28	11,487.45
Highways	143,350.75	1,012,896.73	51,248.58	1,500,000.00	1,073,521.02	10,634.77	1,296,835.26	416.21	326,088.80
Veterans Services		39,112.16			29,190.16			9,922.00	
Schools	6,855.29	5,538,600.00		150,000.00	5,537,118.09	6,502.20	132,583.47	1,481.91	17,769.62
Library		160,305.06			160,305.06				
Recreation/ Unclassified	13,316.32	691,494.91	64,720.23		661,331.42	13,237.00		87,718.02	7,245.02
Interest/Maturing									
Debt	34,722.47	1,065,135.60	15,826.49		1,055,176.44			48,734.62	11,773.50
Sewer Division	18,482.50	467,191.08			460,504.83	9,800.00		53.75	15,315.00
Water Division	663,113.78	798,255.80	7,000.00		454,867.98	45,500.00	414,888.45	1,423.89	551,689.26
<b>Total Revenue</b>	942,858.08	11,397,065.13	381,614.51	1,650,000.00	11,269,984.90	85,673.97	1,844,307.18	212,576.30	958,995.37
<b>Expenditures</b>									

## ANALYSIS OF REVENUE SHARING APPROPRIATIONS — FISCAL YEAR 1983

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
General Government									
Revenue Sharing									
Administration:					250.00				
Council on Aging:									
Operating Expenses		8,040.00			8,040.00				
Floor Resurfacing		900.00							
<b>Totals</b>		9,190.00			8,290.00				900.00
									900.00

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
<b>Public Safety</b>									
Fire Department:									
Capital Outlay		10,050.00			10,038.00			12.00	59.43
Energy Conservation	506.93				447.50				
<b>Shellfish Department:</b>									
Capital Outlay		9,000.00			9,000.00				
Civil Defense:									
Capital Outlay		508.25			503.06			5.19	
<b>Totals</b>	506.93	19,558.25			19,988.56			17.19	59.43
<b>Highways</b>									
Equipment		50,000.00			50,000.00				
Curbing/Hardsurfacing		20,000.00			20,000.00				
<b>Totals</b>		70,000.00			70,000.00				
<b>Recreation/Unclassified</b>									
Moby Dick Trail		1,000.00							1,000.00
Group Insurance		250,000.00			236,695.77			13,304.23	
<b>Totals</b>		251,000.00			236,695.77			13,304.23	1,000.00
<b>Sewer Division</b>									
Capital Outlay		4,587.00			4,587.00				
Engineering --									
Pumping Stations		11,300.00			11,300.00				
<b>Totals</b>		15,887.00			15,887.00				
<b>Water Division</b>									
Water Meters		12,000.00			10,008.00				1,992.00
<b>Totals</b>		12,000.00			10,008.00				1,992.00

# SUMMARY OF REVENUE SHARING APPROPRIATIONS

Account	Balance Forward	Revenue	Transfer In	Loans	Payments Revenue	Transfer Out	Payments Loans	To Revenue	Held 1984
General Government		9,190.00			8,290.00				900.00
Public Safety	506.93	19,558.25			19,988.56			17.19	59.43
Highways		70,000.00			70,000.00				
Recreation/Unclassified		251,000.00			236,695.77			13,304.23	1,000.00
Sewer Division		15,887.00			15,887.00				
Water Division		12,000.00			10,008.00				1,992.00
Totals	506.93	377,635.25			360,869.33			13,321.42	3,951.43

**BALANCE SHEET**  
**Year Ending June 30, 1983**

**ASSETS**

**CASH:**

General Cash	\$ 2,186,375.48	
Investments	<u>1,000,000.00</u>	\$3,186,375.48

**ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:**

**Taxes —**

1975 Personal Property	1,455.30	
1976 Personal Property	1,897.19	
1977 Personal Property	1,918.50	
1978 Personal Property	1,628.70	
1979 Personal Property	2,498.88	
1980 Personal Property	1,578.62	
1981 Personal Property	3,551.05	
1982 Personal Property	4,054.32	
1983 Personal Property	6,410.52	
1979 Real Estate	2,335.57	
1980 Real Estate	3,849.28	
1981 Real Estate	2,289.06	
1982 Real Estate	128,969.51	
1983 Real Estate	<u>511,237.46</u>	673,673.96

**MOTOR VEHICLE/TRAILER EXCISE:**

Levy of 1974	4,163.85	
Levy of 1975	3,056.92	
Levy of 1976	2,788.55	
Levy of 1977	7,567.67	
Levy of 1978	9,749.86	
Levy of 1979	18,846.03	
Levy of 1980	26,235.18	
Levy of 1981	11,224.67	
Levy of 1982	14,719.72	
Levy of 1983	<u>74,074.01</u>	172,426.46

**BOAT EXCISE:**

Levy of 1980	675.42	
Levy of 1981	3,702.60	
Levy of 1982	895.00	
Levy of 1983	<u>10,636.00</u>	15,909.02



Tax Liens	53,896.94	
Tax Foreclosures	<u>22,967.74</u>	76,864.68
DEPARTMENTAL:		
Selectmen	3,920.00	
Sidewalks	27.85	
Sanitary Landfill	14.00	
Veterans Services	4,021.48	
Wharf	<u>4,237.67</u>	12,221.00
SPECIAL TAXES:		
1980 Farm Animal	119.80	
1982 Farm Animal	60.00	
Taxes in Litigation	<u>575.00</u>	755.50
AID TO HIGHWAYS:		296,028.18
ANTICIPATED INCOME:		
State Aid to Libraries		7,879.50
SEWER:		
Charges	29,345.63	
Services Connections	49.02	
1982 Liens	742.57	
1983 Liens	3,038.00	
1984 Liens	15,371.80	
Overtime Charges	441.47	
Receivables	<u>539.15</u>	49,527.64
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS:		
Apportioned Sewers	199.07	
Committed Interest	<u>37.95</u>	237.02
GRANTS — STATE/FEDERAL:		
Federal — Sewer Project	2,893.00	
State — Sewer Project	<u>579.00</u>	3,472.00
WATER:		
Rates	31,644.85	
Service Connections	3,473.84	
1981 Liens	1,136.44	
1983 Liens	5,214.40	
1984 Liens	18,773.97	
Receivables	<u>1,086.73</u>	61,330.23
UNPROVIDED OF OVERDRAWN ACCOUNTS:		
Regional Transit Authorities		604.00

REVENUE 1984		11,378,082.82
NET FUNDED DEBT		5,005,000.00
LOANS AUTHORIZED		5,071,442.38
TRUSTS AND SPECIAL FUNDS		656,715.15
REVENUE SHARING:		
Cash	44,581.80	
Investments	200,000.00	
Authorized Transfers	408,690.00	653,271.80
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Total Assets		<u>\$27,321,816.82</u>

## LIABILITY RESERVES

### OVERESTIMATED STATE/COUNTY ASSESSMENTS:

County Tax	7,242.37	
Special Education	8,016.00	
State Recreation Areas	3,520.42	
Mosquito Control	92.16	
Air Pollution Control	259.10	19,130.05
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### PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS:

Teachers Retirement	7,606.09	
Group Insurance	30,392.57	
Annuities	79.54	
Washington National	67.28	
Dues	887.90	
United Fund	28.75	39,062.13
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### GUARANTEE DEPOSITS:

Sidewalk	3,477.96	
Sanitary Landfill	805.00	
Sewer Connections	1,050.00	
Water Connections	3,350.10	8,683.06
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### TAILINGS:

Unclaimed Checks	7,500.06	
Unidentified Receipts	203.04	7,703.10
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### GIFTS AND REQUESTS:

Town Hall Gifts	100.00	
Council on Aging Gifts —		
Equipment	540.00	



Council on Aging Gifts —		
Gasoline	397.67	
Police Dept. Gifts	329.07	
Shellfish Dept. Gifts	.50	
Dog Kennel Gifts	1,035.33	
Civil Defense Gifts	1,280.29	
Youth Commission Gifts	170.09	
Historical Commission Gifts	<u>140.82</u>	3,993.77
TRUST FUND INTEREST:		
Rogers Elementary School	622.68	
Rogers High School	2,535.12	
Ricketts Cemetery	233.35	
Hannah Chadwick	98.40	
Andrus Sprit	1,487.50	
Julia Stoddard	<u>9,257.71</u>	14,234.76
FEDERAL GRANTS:		
Schools:		
P.L. 89-13	100.00	
P.L. 94-142	987.18	
Chapter II	1,548.43	
Title IV — Sea Lab	1,347.89	
Inservice Institute	340.00	
Highways:		
Chapter 1140 — Section 20	3,886.63	
Chapter 1140 — Section 22	5.11	
Small Cities Blk. Grant	143,700.91	
Council on Aging:		
Dept. Elderly Affairs	3,063.20	154,979.35
Revolving Funds:		
Police Revolving	(263.63)	
School Lunch Program	(839.60)	
Athletics/Activities	7,228.65	
Student Recoveries	<u>943.39</u>	7,068.81
APPROPRIATIONS BALANCES:		
General	459,762.38	
WATER:		
Maintenance/Operation	3,813.00	
Construction	<u>549,256.80</u>	1,012,832.18
Loans Authorized Unissued		5,071,442.38

Sale of Real Estate		1,334.14
Sale of Low Value Land		18,779.25
RECEIPTS RESERVED:		
Boat Excise 1/2		13,369.29
Insurance Recoveries		804.06
PROVISION FOR ABATEMENT/ EXEMPTIONS:		
Levy of 1975	1,455.30	
Levy of 1976	1,897.19	
Levy of 1978	1,569.98	
Levy of 1979	916.38	
Levy of 1980	2,923.66	
Levy of 1981	59,417.61	
Levy of 1982	282,943.88	
Levy of 1983	<u>274,803.71</u>	625,927.71
WARRANTS PAYABLE		404,431.86
DEFERRED REVENUE:		
Motor Vehicle Excise	172,426.46	
Boat Excise	15,909.02	
Tax Titles/Possessions	76,864.68	
Departmental	12,221.00	
Water	61,330.23	
Sewer	49,527.64	
Special Tax	755.50	
Special Assessments	237.02	
Federally Aided Projects	43,700.00	
Aid to Highways	<u>296,028.18</u>	728,999.73
APPROPRIATION CONTROL		11,917,039.44
SURPLUS REVENUE		957,015.30
REVENUE SHARING:		
P.L. 52-912		240,210.01
Appropriation Balances		3,951.43
Appropriation Control		408,690.00
Warrants Payable		420.36
NET FUNDED DEBT		5,005,000.00
TRUST & SPECIAL FUNDS		<u>656,715.15</u>
Total Liabilities/Reserves		<u><u>\$27,321,817.32</u></u>

# TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN

## Debt Accounts

Net Funded Debt	5,005,000.00	
Sewer Construction Project		555,000.00
School Project		55,000.00
School Restoration		700,000.00
Town Hall Restoration		670,000.00
School Roofs		150,000.00
Water Project HUD		35,000.00
Water Construction Project		1,340,000.00
B.P.W. Building Construction		1,500,000.00
	<u>5,005,000.00</u>	<u>5,005,000.00</u>

## Trust Funds

Trust Investments	656,715.15	
Hannah Chadwick — Charity		500.00
Andrus Spriit		10,000.00
Julia Stoddard		22,275.30
Ricketts Cemetery		1,430.66
Hannah Chadwick Income		1,033.56
Andrus Spriit Income		17,141.26
Julia Stoddard Income		16,750.36
Rogers Elementary School		112,566.63
Rogers High School		409,610.10
Abner Pease		7,558.12
Edmund Anthony		10,000.00
Anna B. Trowbridge		6,240.77
Lady Fairhaven — H.S. Citizenship		711.90
Sarah B. Clark — Student Loan		1,447.20
Julia Sears — High School Prize		1,190.76
Sarah B. Clark — Rogers School		656.67
John Alvin Keane — Scholarship		3,000.00
Amanda F. Sears		847.61
Stabilization Fund		24,385.62
Post War Fund		9,368.63
	<u>656,715.15</u>	<u>656,715.15</u>

# REPORT OF FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

## RECEIPTS

Source of Receipts	Detail	Totals
<b>GENERAL REVENUE:</b>		
<b>Taxes:</b>		
Property	6,364,493.47	
Tax Title Redemption	90,491.08	
Farm Animal	<u>1,099.62</u>	6,456,084.17
<b>In Lieu of Taxes:</b>		
Abatements to Elderly, exempt		
Veterans, Blind, Surviving		
Spouses, Loss of Land		62,444.56
Fairhaven Village		48,364.00
80% Sales Tax, Mass. School		
Fund, School Aid		2,639,232.00
<b>Licenses and Permits:</b>		
Liquor	28,883.94	
All other	<u>35,858.06</u>	64,742.00
<b>Fines and Forfeits:</b>		
Court	31,733.05	
Dogs	320.00	
Restitution	336.25	
Parking Violations	<u>1,190.00</u>	33,579.30
<b>Grants and Gifts:</b>		
<b>Federal Government:</b>		
Revenue Sharing (P.L.		
52-912)	377,832.00	
Sewer Project #C250315-01	161,557.00	
Sewer Project #C250635-01	26,886.00	
Block Grant — Small Cities	175,649.46	
<b>Schools:</b>		
P.L. 89-313	7,200.00	
P.L. 94-142	71,340.00	
Chapter 784	10,910.40	
Chapter I	133,126.00	
Chapter II	21,746.00	
Title IVC — Project Sealab	3,000.00	
ESEA School Lunch	<u>14,600.87</u>	1,003,847.73

State Government:		
Sewer Project #C250315-01	70,146.00	
Schools:		
Chapter 71 — Transportation	181,051.00	
Chapter 71A/71b —		
Transportation	29,273.00	
Board of Education	13,079.08	
School Building Construction	11,565.04	
School Lunch Program	111,259.00	
Other Purposes:		
Highways	58,727.30	
Civil Defense	1,311.15	
Veterans' Services	16,793.73	
Non-Contributory Retirement	366.30	
Chemical Costs — Waste		
Treatment Plant	9,201.81	
Urban Development —		
Fairhaven Village	64,318.00	
Police — D.W.I. Program	2,755.20	
Library Aid	7,879.50	
Lottery and Beano	276,667.00	
Marine Fisheries	6,456.69	
Divisions Elderly Affairs	3,061.00	863,910.80
County Government:		
Dog Refunds		1,434.00
Gifts from Individuals and		
Others		1,900.20
All Other General Revenue:		
Collectors Unidentified		
Receipts	76.83	
Sale of Tax Possessions	23,900.00	23,976.83
Commercial Revenue:		
Privileges:		
Motor Vehicle Excise	298,315.49	
Boat Excise	14,195.67	312,511.16
Departmental — General		
Selectmen	9,782.01	
Town Collector	8,042.40	
Town Clerk	5,271.60	
Appeals Board	1,480.00	
Planning Board	255.00	
Conservation Commission	225.00	25,056.01



Public Safety:		
Police	3,421.78	
Off Duty Salaries	<u>33,600.20</u>	37,021.98

Highways:		
Sale Scrap Iron	589.00	
Miscellaneous Receipts	<u>440.00</u>	1,029.00

Schools:		
Lunch Program	140,040.18	
Athletics and Activities	14,027.70	
Student Recoveries	345.63	
Off-Duty Payrolls	2,174.46	
Restitution-Damages	145.59	
Greater New Bedford		
Regional Vocational School	20,110.89	
Telephone Commissions	76.47	
Tuition from Other		
Municipalities	<u>199,627.78</u>	376,548.70

Unclassified:		
Miscellaneous Receipts	4,856.72	
Insurance Recoveries		
Vehicle Insurance	8,650.40	
Academy Building	1,000.00	
Medical	7,783.56	
Insurance Refunds:		
Workmen's Compensation	8,891.82	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	5,363.00	
Vehicles	415.00	
Police/Fire Salaries	1,392.84	
Buildings	<u>7,152.95</u>	45,506.29

Public Service Enterprises:		
Sewer:		
Charges	322,238.82	
Liens	12,692.45	
Connections	45.48	
Overtime Charges	189.54	
Receivables	8,296.46	
Town of Mattapoisett	<u>19,991.81</u>	363,454.56

Water:		
Rates	388,996.43	
Liens	14,984.67	
Connections	10,703.36	

Receivables	<u>4,671.45</u>	419,355.91
Other:		
Wharf Rental	14,971.29	
Sidewalk	200.01	
Sanitary Landfill	<u>967.50</u>	16,138.80
Debt:		
Anticipation of Revenue	2,600,000.00	
Anticipation of Bond Issue	100,000.00	
Anticipation of Federal Grant	221,793.00	
School Roofs	150,000.00	
Bond Issue — B.P.W. Building	<u>1,500,000.00</u>	4,571,793.00
Agency, Trust, Investments:		
Federal Withholding Taxes	813,432.47	
State Withholding Taxes	254,978.18	
Contributory Retirement	126,229.05	
Teachers Retirement	148,487.96	
Group Insurance	253,853.96	
Other Payroll Deductions	304,301.85	
Retirement Earnings	222,490.19	
Dog Licenses for County/		
Sale of Dogs	4,195.75	
Deposits for Services	16,670.96	
Bid Deposits	30.00	
Revenue Investments	29,204,000.00	
Revenue Sharing Investments	1,450,000.00	
Retirement Salaries	<u>8,264.76</u>	32,806,935.13
Interest:		
Taxes	37,746.51	
Motor Vehicles	271.45	
Tax Title	16,149.45	
Sewer/Water	8.25	
Rogers School Trusts	54,824.85	
Other Trusts	4,184.02	
Revenue Investments	192,343.87	
Revenue Sharing Investments	19,174.16	
Interest/Premium Bond Issue	<u>5,126.80</u>	329,829.36

Refunds:

General Government	355.49	
Public Safety	230.86	
B.P.W.	17,077.25	
Veterans' Services	2,562.56	
Schools	9,336.47	
Unclassified	<u>1,259.00</u>	<u>30,821.63</u>

Total Receipts		50,535,517.12
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Balance on Hand July 1, 1982

General Revenue	342,727.82	
Revenue Sharing	<u>59,024.61</u>	<u>401,752.43</u>
		<u>\$50,937,269.55</u>

## PAYMENTS

Source of Payments	Expenses	Revenue Sharing	Capital Outlay	Totals
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:				
Moderator:				
Salary	274.22			
Selectmen:				
Salaries/Wages	60,391.61			
Other Expenses	4,783.76	250.00		
Town Accountant:				
Salary	15,473.64			
Other Expenses	1,215.98			
Data Processing	59,670.26			
Treasurer:				
Salaries/Wages	26,560.49			
Other Expenses	13,104.94			
Tax Title Expense	6,675.64			
Town Clerk:				
Salaries/Wages	24,095.33			
Other Expenses	2,407.86			
Town Collector:				
Salaries/Wages	45,508.63			
Other Expenses	9,805.85			
Assessors:				
Salaries/Wages	47,395.39			
Other Expenses	18,790.30			
Elections/Registration:				
Salaries/Wages	14,460.80			
Other Expenses	7,984.00			
Town Hall:				
Salaries/Wages	10,949.26			
Other Expenses	28,263.21			
Town Hall Restoration			16,572.05	
Council on Aging:				
Salaries/Wages	22,924.67			
Other Expenses		8,040.00	14,353.06	
Legal Expenses	53,739.06			
Engineering	6,163.50			
Mass. Unemployment Compensation	38,163.00			
Planning Board:				
Salaries/Wages	794.43			
Other Expenses	2,551.41			

Source of Payments	Expenses	Revenue Sharing	Capital Outlay	Totals
Appeals Board:				
Salaries	633.60			
Other Expenses	611.13			
Other General Government:				
Town Meetings	2,610.17			
Finance Committee	1,693.68			
Personnel Board	4,657.62			
Conservation Comm.	599.17			
<b>Total General Government</b>	<b>532,952.61</b>	<b>8,290.00</b>	<b>30,925.11</b>	<b>572,167.72</b>

#### PUBLIC SAFETY:

Police Dept.:				
Salaries/Wages	614,447.09			
Other Expenses	74,660.00		9,236.00	
Off-Duty Wages	34,893.44			
Fire Dept.				
Salaries/Wages	365,581.44			
Other Expenses	38,317.41	11,485.50	12,228.45	
Fire Alarm Systems:				
Salaries/Wages	7,216.37			
Other Expenses	2,893.35			
Forestry:				
Salaries/Wages	10,697.12			
Other Expenses	3,349.91			
Other Public Safety:				
Building Dept.	34,574.89			
Shellfish Dept.	24,835.29	9,000.00		
Dog Officer	17,448.95			
Civil Defense	9,126.61	503.06		
Sealer Weights/ Measures	1,980.14			
Harbor Patrol	4,544.96			
<b>Total Public Safety</b>	<b>1,244,566.97</b>	<b>20,988.56</b>	<b>21,464.45</b>	<b>1,287,019.98</b>

#### HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Public Health:				
Salaries/Wages	21,062.97			
Other Expenses	19,290.69			
Mosquito Control	9,568.99			
<b>Total Health and Sanitation</b>	<b>49,922.65</b>			<b>49,922.65</b>



Source of Payments	Expenses	Revenue Sharing	Capital Outlay	Totals
<b>HIGHWAYS:</b>				
Administration	41,435.32			
Salaries/Wages	295,094.90			
Other Expenses	168,163.56	50,000.00	16,724.00	
Rubbish Collection	140,000.00			
New Building			1,301,259.78	
Street Lighting	112,925.26			
Sidewalks/Curbings	45,652.45	20,000.00		
Drainage	5,000.00			
Roadwork	190,486.32			
Union Wharf	17,691.94			
Dana Pond Area			53,000.00	
<b>Total Highways</b>	<b>1,016,449.75</b>	<b>70,000.00</b>	<b>1,370,983.78</b>	<b>2,457,433.53</b>
<b>VETERANS' SERVICES:</b>				
Salaries/Wages	7,045.16			
Other Expenses	24,707.56			
<b>Total Veterans' Services</b>	<b>31,752.72</b>			<b>31,752.72</b>
<b>SCHOOLS</b>				
General School	5,341,112.63		1,500.00	
Trust Funds	38,963.11			
School Roof Repairs			125,663.33	
School Lunch Program	252,756.05			
Athletic/Activities	16,810.36			
Student Recoveries	37.11			
Off-Duty Payroll	2,174.46			
Energy Audit	507.20			
Insurance Recoveries	145.59			
Grant Programs	277,000.00			
Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical H.S.	160,431.00			
<b>Total Schools</b>	<b>6,089,937.51</b>		<b>127,163.33</b>	<b>6,217,100.84</b>
<b>LIBRARIES:</b>				
Millicent Library	160,305.36			160,305.36
<b>PARKS AND RECREATION:</b>				
<b>Parks:</b>				
Salaries/Wages	29,468.08			
Other Expenses	7,059.21			
<b>Recreation:</b>				
Salaries/Wages	17,111.17			

Source of Payments	Expenses	Revenue Sharing	Capital Outlay	Totals
Recreation (Continued)				
Other Expenses	2,754.86			
Moby Dick Trail	308.00			
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Total Parks and Recreation	56,701.32			56,701.32
PENSIONS AND RETIREMENTS:				
Contributory Retirement	374,100.94			
Non-Contributory Retirement	7,561.10			
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Total Pensions/ Retirement	381,662.04			381,662.04
UNCLASSIFIED:				
Damage to Personal Property	5,593.80			
Town Report	4,291.16			
Insurance:				
Group Insurance		236,695.77		
All Other	106,969.41			
Memorial Day	1,200.00			
Small Claims	500.00			
Historical Commission	4,222.63			
Veterans' Memorial	1,000.00			
All Other Unclassified	6,953.00			
Cost of Bond Issue	15,000.00			
Gifts	743.59			
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Total Unclassified	146,473.59	236,695.77		383,169.36
SEWER DIVISION:				
Salaries/Wages	185,609.73			
Other Expenses	261,703.52	15,887.00	26,981.60	
Sewer Construction			31,349.97	
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Total Sewer Division	447,313.25	15,887.00	58,331.57	521,531.82
WATER DIVISION:				
Salaries/Wages	149,848.52			
Other Expenses	186,069.76	10,008.00		
Water Purchase	59,966.50			

Source of Payments	Expenses	Revenue Sharing	Capital Outlay	Totals
Water Division (Continued)				
Water System				
Rehabilitation			59,837.79	
Water Development			414,888.45	
<b>Total Water Division</b>	395,884.78	10,008.00	474,726.24	880,619.02

Small Cities Grant	31,948.55			31,948.55
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#### MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Serial Loans	608,320.00			
Temporary Loans:				
Revenue				
Anticipation	2,600,000.00			
Bond Anticipation	100,000.00			
Federal Reimbursement	413,468.00			
<b>Total Municipal Indebtedness</b>	3,721,788.00			3,721,788.00

#### INTEREST ON DEBT:

Serial Loans	381,355.28			
Revenue Loans	25,130.19			
All Other Loans	25,370.97			
<b>Total Interest on Debt</b>	431,856.44			431,856.44

#### ASSESSMENTS:

State/County:				
County Tax	197,810.33			
State Recreation Areas	66,916.79			
Mosquito Control	8,035.74			
Air Pollution Control	1,462.82			
Regional Transit Authorities	16,405.00			
Motor Vehicle Excise				
Bills	1,934.55			
Audit Retirement System	3,641.17			
Elderly Government Retirees	989.32			
Hurricane Barrier	14,511.33			
SRPEDD	2,363.85			
<b>Total Assessments</b>	314,070.90			314,070.90

Source of Payments	Expenses	Revenue Sharing	Capital Outlay	Totals
AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENTS:				
Dog Licenses for County/Sale of Dogs	4,195.75			
Payroll Deductions:				
Federal Taxes	813,432.47			
State Taxes	254,978.18			
Contributory Retirement	126,229.05			
Teachers Retire- ment	140,881.87			
Group Insurance	274,473.14			
Other Payroll Deductions	319,691.57			
Retirement Earnings	222,242.42			
Trust Funds	605.00			
Investments	27,904,000.00	1,550,000.00		
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Total Agency, Trust & Investments	30,060,729.45	1,550,000.00		31,610,729.45
REFUNDS:				
Taxes	44,799.99			
Motor Vehicle Excise	3,543.19			
Public Service Enterprises	1,023.64			
Service Deposits	1,663.74			
Miscellaneous	354.23			
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Total Refunds	51,384.79			51,384.79
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Total Payments				49,161,164.49
Balance on Hand, June 30, 1983:				
General	1,781,943.62			
Revenue Sharing	(5,838.56)			
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Total Payments and Cash on Hand, June 30, 1983				<hr/> <hr/>

# TREASURER'S REPORT

July 1, 1982 — June 30, 1983

## Cash Account

1982	Receipts	Disbursements
July	\$ 3,666,553.61	\$ 2,150,454.89
August	2,724,188.08	4,098,234.54
September	2,585,723.86	2,452,919.99
October	3,883,045.80	2,813,601.43
November	2,832,227.74	3,371,580.23
December	7,361,706.74	6,602,458.18
1983		
January	3,759,022.54	4,323,538.65
February	5,131,008.45	4,395,985.80
March	5,429,880.01	6,700,473.73
April	3,414,412.24	3,332,564.82
May	4,185,934.47	3,951,424.01
June	<u>6,169,421.98</u>	<u>5,567,749.16</u>
	\$51,143,125.52	\$49,760,985.43
Balance July 1, 1982		\$ 402,393.58
Add Receipts		<u>51,143,125.52</u>
Available Cash		\$51,545,519.10
Disbursements		<u>49,760,985.43</u>
Balance June 30, 1983		\$ 1,784,533.67
Non Revenue & Revenue Investments		1,600,000.00
Revenue Sharing Investments		<u>150,000.00</u>
		\$3,534,533.67

## Cash Reconciliation

Balance in:	
National Bank of Fairhaven	714,067.06
Bank of Boston Bristol	315,648.44
Harbor National	55,415.05
Baybank Merchants	7,530.97
Bank of New England	19,703.65
1st National Bank of Boston	359,195.98
New Bedford Five Cents Savings	10,000.00



Fairhaven Savings	\$ 25,000.00
Shawmut Bank of Bristol	131,895.83
Petty Cash	25.00
Goulart Memorial Drive	1,985.40
Small Cities Block Grant	144,066.29
Investments	<u>1,750,000.00</u>
	\$3,534,533.67

# SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS FOR MUNICIPAL DEBTS AND INTEREST

July 1, 1984 — June 30, 1985

1984	Debt Book	Purpose of Loan	Interest	Principal
July 3		Water Development	1,260.00	30,000.00
July 15	59	Sewer Bonds	10,560.00	110,000.00
July 15	61	School Remodeling	18,750.00	100,000.00
July 20		Water Rehab	14,639.50	
November 1	63	BPW Building	55,350.00	150,000.00
November 1	62	Town Hall/Water	91,155.00	
1985				
January 15		Small Cities	7,395.00	145,000.00
January 15	59	Sewer Bonds	10,560.00	
May 1	62	Town Hall/Water	91,155.00	240,000.00
May 1	63	BPW Building	49,200.00	
July 15	61	School Remodeling	15,625.00	
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			\$365,649.50	\$775,000.00

# REPORT OF OUTSTANDING DEBT

June 30, 1983

Page	Purpose of Loan	Date of Issue	Rate of Interest	Date of Maturity	Outstanding Debt June 30, 1983
52	Water Bonds	9-15-73	5.25	1983	35,000.00
59	Sewer Bonds	1-15-78	4.8	1987	655,000.00
61	School Remodeling	7-15-80	6.25	1989	700,000.00
62	Town Hall/Water	5-1-82	10.30	1992	2,010,000.00
63	BPW Building	11-1-82	8.2	1992	1,500,000.00
					<u>\$4,900,000.00</u>

## SUMMARY OF OUTSTANDING DEBT

As of June 30, 1983

### Outside Debt Limit

Page	Purpose	
52	Water Bonds	35,000.00
59	Sewer Bonds	<u>655,000.00</u>
		\$ 690,000.00

### Inside Debt Limit

Page	Purpose	
61	School Remodeling	700,000.00
62	Town Hall/Water	2,010,000.00
63	BPW Building	<u>1,500,000.00</u>
		\$4,210,000.00
		<u><u>\$4,900,000.00</u></u>

# TRUST FUNDS — 7-1-82 — 6-30-83

	Book Value	Mkt. Value 6-30-83	Int.-Div'd. Received
<b>Henry H. Rogers Elementary School Fund</b>			
Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 202.19	\$ 202.19	\$ 417.00
1400 Shares Shawmut Association, Inc. @ 31 1/2	15,231.25	44,100.00	2,618.00
699 Shares First National Boston Corp. @ 40 1/2	5,133.19	28,309.50	1,411.98
20 Shares Workingman Co- Operative Bank			175.32
\$8,000 Boston & Albany R.R. Co. Bonds 4¼% — 8/1/78	8,000.00		
\$41,000 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4¼% — 5/15/75-85 @ 94 5/32	41,000.00	38,604.06	1,742.50
\$10,500 U.S. Treasury Bonds 3¾% — 6/15/78-83			341.26
\$10,000 U.S. Treasury Bonds 3½% — 2/15/90 @ 91 16/32	10,000.00	9,150.00	350.00
National Bank of Fairhaven 8.40% — 6 month MMCD due 11/8/83	22,500.00	22,500.00	1,124.69
National Bank of Fairhaven 9.08% — 6 month MMCD due 12/15/83	10,500.00	10,500.00	
	\$112,566.63	\$153,365.75	\$ 8,180.75
Transferred to School Dept.			8,180.75
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$112,566.63	\$153,365.75	

## Edmund Anthony Jr. School Fund

\$10,000 U.S. Treasury Bonds 3½% — 2/15/90 @ 91 16/32	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 9,150.00	\$ 350.00
Transferred to School Dept.			350.00
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 9,150.00	

## Abner Pease School Fund

Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 558.12	\$ 558.12	\$ 31.20
\$7,000 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4¼% — 5/15/75 — 85 @ 94 5/32	7,000.00	6,590.94	297.50
	\$ 7,558.12	\$ 7,149.06	\$ 328.70



	Book Value	Mkt. Value 6-30-83	Int.-Div'd. Received
Abner Pease School Fund (Continued)			
Transferred to School Dept.		\$	328.70
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 7,558.12	\$ 7,149.06	

#### Henry H. Rogers High School Fund

Trustee — First Nat'l. City Bank, N.Y.,	\$ 45,957.35
Transferred to School Dept.	45,957.35

#### James Ricketts Trust Fund

Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 430.66	\$ 430.66	\$ 24.04
\$1,000 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4¼% — 5/15/75-85 @ 94 5/32	1,000.00	941.56	42.50
	\$ 1,430.66	\$ 1,372.22	\$ 66.54
Transferred to Riverside Cemetery			66.54
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 1,430.66	\$ 1,372.22	

#### Julia A. Stoddard Trust Fund

Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 47.12	\$ 47.12	\$ 2.76
1413 Shares First Nat'l Boston Corp. @ 40½	9,228.17	57,226.50	2,854.26
\$13,000 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4¼% — 5/15/75-85 @ 94 5/32	13,000.00	12,240.31	552.50
	\$ 22,275.29	\$ 69,513.93	\$ 3,409.52
Transferred to Charities Fund — Income Account			3,409.52
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 22,275.29	\$ 69,513.93	

#### Hannah Chadwick Trust Fund

Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 27.96
Transferred to Charities Fund — Income Account			27.96
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	

#### Andrus Spritt Trust Fund

\$10,000 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4¼% — 5/15/75-85 @ 94 5/32	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 9,415.62	\$ 425.00
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	Book Value	Mkt. Value 6-30-83	Int.-Div'd. Received
Andrus Spritt Trust Fund (Continued)			
Transferred to Charities Fund — Income Account			\$ 425.00
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 9,415.62	

#### Trowbridge Trust Fund

Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 240.77	\$ 240.77	
\$6,000.00 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4¼% — 5/15/75-85 @ 94 5/32	6,000.00	5,649.37	255.00
	\$ 6,240.77	\$ 5,890.14	\$ 255.00
Transferred to High School Scholarship			255.00
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 6,240.77	\$ 5,890.14	

#### Stabilization Fund

Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 23,527.81	\$ 1,345.52
Added to Principal — Interest Fairhaven Savings Bank	1,345.52	
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 24,873.33	

#### Post War Planning Fund

Fairhaven Savings Bank	\$ 8,985.87	\$ 513.94
Added to Principal — Interest Fairhaven Savings Bank	513.94	
Balance on Hand July 1, 1983	\$ 9,499.81	

#### TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

William F. Rogers  
Richard H. Carpenter  
Daniel A. Mello

## TAX TITLES

Book value on hand June 30, 1982	\$103,455.60
Tax Takings	
July 1, 1982 — June 30, 1983	<u>32,395.74</u>
	\$135,851.34
Certifications	
July 1, 1982 — June 30, 1983	<u>27,477.60</u>
	\$163,328.94
Tax Title Redemptions	
July 1, 1982 — June 30, 1983	<u>90,430.32</u>
	\$ 72,898.62
Abatement July 1, 1982 — June 30, 1983	<u>15,169.58</u>
	\$ 57,729.04
Land of low value foreclosures	<u>3,605.06</u>
July 1, 1982 — June 30, 1983	\$ 54,123.98
Land of low value disclaimed	<u>166.28</u>
Balance as of June 30, 1983	\$ 53,957.70

## TAX POSSESSIONS

Book value on hand June 30, 1982	\$ 24,179.41
Tax Possessions sold	
July 1, 1982 — June 30, 1984	<u>4,817.73</u>
	\$ 19,361.68
Land of low value foreclosures	<u>3,605.06</u>
Book value on hand June 30, 1983	\$ 22,966.74

## TOWN COLLECTOR

Fiscal 1983 — July 1, 1982 thru June 30, 1983

### Fiscal 1983 Real Estate Taxes

Committed	\$6,419,983.80
Refunds	5,526.46
Adjustment	<u>22.92</u>
	\$6,425,533.18
Collected	\$5,697,129.59
Abated	216,591.36
Balance Due	<u>511,812.23</u>
	\$6,425,533.18

### Fiscal 1983 Water Liens

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 16,551.09
Adjustment	<u>25.72</u>
	\$ 16,576.81
Collected	\$ 11,896.36
Balance Due	<u>4,680.45</u>
	\$ 16,576.81

### Fiscal 1983 Sewer Liens

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 14,350.39
Collected	11,286.67
Adjustment	25.72
Balance Due	<u>3,038.00</u>
	\$ 14,350.39

### Fiscal 1983 Water Conn. Liens

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 1,629.96
Collected	1,087.36
Balance Due	<u>542.60</u>
	\$ 1,629.96

### Fiscal 1982 Real Estate Taxes

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 326,595.48
Committed	1,932.00
Refunds	34,098.00
Adjustment	<u>268.83</u>
	\$ 362,894.31
Collected	\$ 192,340.65
Abated	19,617.60
Tax Title	25,351.70
Balance Due	<u>125,584.36</u>
	\$ 362,894.31

### Fiscal 1982 Water Liens

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 1,689.53
Collected	436.78
Tax Title	218.74
Balance Due	<u>1,034.01</u>
	\$ 1,689.53

### Fiscal 1982 Sewer Liens

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 926.20
Collected	183.54
Tax Title	29.45
Balance Due	<u>713.21</u>
	\$ 926.20

### Fiscal 1982 Water Conn. Liens

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 113.00
Tax Title	37.00
Balance Due	<u>76.00</u>
	\$ 113.00

### Fiscal 1981 Real Estate Taxes

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 78,207.10
Refunds	5,990.40
Adjustment	<u>382.21</u>
	\$ 84,579.71



Collected	\$ 53,313.10
Abated	5,654.40
Tax Title	<u>25,612.21</u>
	\$ 84,579.71

#### Fiscal 1981 Water Liens

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 82.02
Tax Title	82.02

#### Fiscal 1984 Water Liens

Committed	\$ 19,479.47
Collected	1,555.52
Balance Due	<u>17,923.95</u>
	\$ 19,479.47

#### Fiscal 1984 Sewer Liens

Committed	\$ 16,441.21
Collected	1,069.41
Balance Due	<u>15,371.80</u>
	\$ 16,441.21

#### Fiscal 1984 Water Conn. Liens

Committed	\$ 850.02
Balance Due	850.02

#### Fiscal 1983 Personal Property

Committed	\$ 461,285.76
Refunds	<u>229.56</u>
	\$ 461,515.32
Collected	\$ 453,565.56
Abated	1,108.32
Adjustment	430.92
Balance Due	<u>6,410.52</u>
	\$ 461,515.32

### Fiscal 1982 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 7,865.68
Refunds	2.88
Adjustment	<u>355.17</u>
	\$ 8,223.73
Collected	\$ 3,299.65
Abated	869.76
Balance Due	<u>4,054.32</u>
	\$ 8,223.73

### Fiscal 1981 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 3,844.49
Collected	293.44
Balance Due	<u>3,551.05</u>
	\$ 3,844.49

### Fiscal 1980 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 3,291.66
Collected	1,713.04
Balance Due	<u>1,578.62</u>
	\$ 3,291.66

### Fiscal 1979 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 2,498.88
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### Fiscal 1978 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 1,628.71
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### Fiscal 1977 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 1,979.26
Collected	60.76
Balance Due	<u>1,918.50</u>
	\$ 1,979.26

### Fiscal 1976 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$	1,897.19
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### Fiscal 1975 Personal Property

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$	1,455.30
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### Fiscal 1983 Motor Vehicle Excise

Committed	\$	267,076.75
Adjustment		<u>7.50</u>
	\$	267,084.25
Collected	\$	193,239.87
Abated		9,395.94
Balance Due		<u>64,448.44</u>
	\$	267,084.25

### Fiscal 1982 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$	39,338.57
Committed		69,192.42
Refunds		3,139.52
Adjustment		<u>256.25</u>
	\$	111,926.76
Collected	\$	89,174.28
Abated		7,991.11
Balance Due		<u>14,761.37</u>
	\$	111,926.76

### Fiscal 1981 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$	12,390.52
Committed		2,366.33
Refunds		<u>91.34</u>
	\$	14,848.19
Collected	\$	3,524.34
Abated		167.36
Balance Due		<u>11,156.49</u>
	\$	14,848.19

### Fiscal 1980 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 27,652.17
Adjustment	<u>125.40</u>
	\$ 27,777.57
Collected	\$ 1,520.44
Abated	23.13
Balance Due	<u>26,234.00</u>
	\$ 27,777.57

### Fiscal 1979 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 19,330.27
Collected	484.24
Balance Due	<u>18,846.03</u>
	\$ 19,330.27

### Fiscal 1978 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 9,903.11
Collected	155.25
Balance Due	<u>9,747.86</u>
	\$ 9,903.11

### Fiscal 1977 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 7,590.57
Collected	30.90
Balance Due	<u>7,559.67</u>
	\$ 7,590.57

### Fiscal 1976 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 2,834.95
Collected	53.65
Balance Due	<u>2,781.30</u>
	\$ 2,834.95

### Fiscal 1975 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 3,378.80
Adjustment	<u>20.63</u>
	\$ 3,399.43
Collected	\$ 330.66
Balance Due	<u>3,068.77</u>
	\$ 3,399.43

### Fiscal 1974 Motor Vehicle Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 4,216.65
Collected	\$ 52.80
Balance Due	<u>4,163.85</u>
	\$ 4,216.65

### 1983 Boat Excise

Committed	\$ 24,489.00
Refunds	<u>156.67</u>
	\$ 24,645.67
Collected	\$ 14,009.67
Abated	3,940.00
Balance Due	<u>6,696.00</u>
	\$ 24,645.67

### 1982 Boat Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 4,928.00
Collected	\$ 93.00
Balance Due	<u>4,835.00</u>
	\$ 4,928.00

### 1981 Boat Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 3,793.60
Collected	\$ 93.00
Balance Due	<u>3,700.60</u>
	\$ 3,793.60

## 1980 Boat Excise

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 675.42
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### Water

Balance Due 7-1-82	\$ 30,060.63
Committed	406,722.00
Refunds	563.65
Adjustment	2.25
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	\$ 437,348.53

Collected	\$ 384,728.06
Abated	1,222.20
Trans. to Water Liens	18,742.72
Balance Due	32,655.55
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	\$ 437,348.53

### Sewer

Balance 7-1-82	\$ 25,273.14
Committed	340,878.83
Refunds	236.95
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	\$ 366,388.92

Collected	\$ 318,383.84
Abated	1,732.92
Trans. to Sewer Liens	16,441.21
Balance Due	29,830.95
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	\$ 366,388.92

Respectfully submitted,

A. S. BARANOWSKI  
*Town Collector*



# ASSESSOR'S REPORT

## TAX RECAPITULATION — FISCAL 1984

Total amount to be raised	\$13,238,643.24
Total estimated receipts	<u>6,383,312.52</u>
Net amount to be raised by taxation . . . . .	\$ 6,855,330.72

Real Property Valuation	\$266,147,540.00
Personal Property Valuation	<u>19,491,240.00</u>
Total Property Valuation	\$285,638,780.00

### TAX RATE: \$24.00 per \$1,000

School Rate	\$ 9.18	(38.26%)
General Rate	<u>\$14.82</u>	<u>(61.74%)</u>
Total . . . . .	\$24.00	100%

Real Property Tax	\$6,387,543.52
Personal Property Tax	<u>467,787.20</u>
Total taxes levied on property	\$6,855,330.72

### AMOUNT TO BE RAISED

A. Appropriations . . . . .	\$12,345,002.34
B. Other Local Expenditures (not requiring appropriations)	
2. Debt and interest charges	\$ 155,870.42
5. Total offsets	26,080.00
8. Fiscal Year 1984 SRPEDD Assessment	2,363.85
Total B Lines 1-9 . . . . .	184,314.27
C. STATE AND COUNTY CHARGES . . . . .	321,463.00
D. OVERLAY RESERVE (for abatements and exemptions) . . . . .	<u>387,863.63</u>
E. TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE RAISED . . . . .	\$13,238,643.24

### ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND REVENUE FROM OTHER SOURCES:

A. Cherry Sheet Estimated Receipts	\$3,548,056.00
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Prior Year Over Estimates	<u>19,129.00</u>	
		\$ 3,567,185.00
B. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: LOCAL		\$ 1,705,901.00
C. Free Cash	\$ 90,429.90	
Other Available Funds	111,106.62	
Revenue Sharing	<u>408,690.00</u>	
		\$ 610,226.52
D. FREE CASH (used to reduce Tax Rate)	\$ 500,000.00	
		<u>\$ 500,000.00</u>
E. TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS & REVENUE FROM OTHER SOURCES		\$ 6,383,312.52

**SCHEDULE A.  
LOCAL RECEIPTS**

	<b>Actual FY 83</b>	<b>Estimated FY 84</b>
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	\$ 294,772.30	\$ 300,000.00
Licenses	64,472.00	64,472.00
Fines	32,923.00	32,923.00
General Government	19,970.82	19,971.00
Protection of Persons and Property	3,609.80	3,610.00
Health and Sanitation	4,169.00	4,169.00
Highways	589.00	589.00
School (Local Receipts of School Committee)	199,627.78	199,628.00
Farm Animals & Machinery Excise	1,099.62	1,100.00
Interest	278,202.39	225,000.00
Public Service Enterprises (Water)	784,003.58	784,004.00
Wharf	14,971.29	14,971.00
Boats	7,097.83	7,100.00
121A Corp. (Fairhaven Village)	<u>48,364.00</u>	<u>48,364.00</u>
TOTALS	\$1,753,872.41	\$1,705,901.00

# **CERTIFICATION OF APPROPRIATIONS AND SOURCE OF FUNDING**

Appropriations.....	\$13,285,597.34
From Levy .....	\$11,734,775.82
From Free Cash .....	\$ 90,429.90
Available Funds .....	\$ 111,106.62
Revenue Sharing .....	\$ 408,690.00
Borrowing .....	\$ 940,595.00

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## **1982 MOTOR VEHICLE & TRAILER EXCISE \$25.00 PER \$1,000**

In 1982	13,002	\$13,224,100.00	\$ 289,500.45
In 1983	<u>757</u>	<u>1,304,850.00</u>	<u>6,852.08</u>
Totals	13,759	\$14,528,950.00	\$ 296,352.53

## **1983 MOTOR VEHICLE & TRAILER EXCISE \$25.00 PER \$1,000**

In 1983	13,368	\$15,120,250.00	\$ 323,590.26
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## **FISCAL 1983 BOAT EXCISE — \$10.00 PER \$1,000**

In 1982	481	\$ 2,448,900.00	\$ 24,489.00
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## **FISCAL 1984 BOAT EXCISE — \$10.00 PER \$1,000**

In 1983	365	\$ 1,414,400.00	\$ 14,144.00
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Respectfully submitted,  
  
 BOARD OF ASSESSORS  
 MARJORIE J. SYLVIA, *Chairman*  
 HAROLD B. NOWELL  
 JEANNE C. REEDY

## ANIMAL CONTROL

Restr. to Homes	Dogs Des- troyed	Bites	Handled Dead & Alive	Dead Animals	Compl. Investi- gations	Animal Inspec- tions	Cats Des- troyed
321	78	22	521	269	2,783	530	63

Truck miles January 1, 1984:	45,602.4
Dogs Licensed:	1,833

### Horse Clinic

Encephalomyelitis Vaccinations:	15
Coggine Test:	0

### Cash turned over to Town Clerk:

County Reimbursements .....	\$2,096.00
Citations (84) .....	2,100.00
(paid through District Court)	
Board .....	336.00
Dogs Sold .....	35.00
Total Amount	\$4,567.00

Abandoned and stray dogs continued to be a cause for concern in 1983. During the four months of September thru December it was necessary to impound and destroy 38 dogs. This represents 48% of the total dogs destroyed for the entire year. I believe these figures relate, at least in part, to the problem of pets that are left behind by summer residents.

I would like to thank the Police Department for their direct assistance as well as the other town departments that assisted me throughout the year. A special thanks to those who donated to the Animal Shelter Gift Fund.

Respectfully submitted,  
KEVIN BARAO  
*Animal Control Officer*

## BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health has had a busy and productive year. This was the first year that health concerns were discussed on a regional basis. As a result of meetings held in New Bedford we found much common ground for the solution of regional health problems. An attempt is being made to standardize our regulations in the greater New Bedford area. We feel that the regional approach is a very positive action.

We have implemented a rodent control program targeted at our water front and other specified areas. We received excellent coverage and assistance from the Advocate, private property owners, and Joseph McEvoy, a consultant from MDPH, who helped us in getting the program "off the ground."

Shortly after the rodent control program was started we realized that there was need for a companion program to better control and expedite the disposal of trash generated in our Town. A key factor in this effort has been the promulgation of regulations concerning the location and care of compactors, trashbins and other rubbish containers. These regulations, and the regulations concerning dumping and disposal of trash in Fairhaven, should insure more satisfactory operating procedures in the handling of rubbish and trash.

The hazardous waste problem has received special attention, and has been addressed at numerous meetings conducted at local and State levels. The role of EPA, DEQE, and local authorities has been discussed and evaluated. The Board of Health has taken a stand that no hazardous waste be deposited on Marsh Island, and further, that no waste generated outside of Fairhaven should be dumped here.

The frequency of our sanitary inspections of Food Service Establishments has been increased, and strict compliance with applicable codes and regulations is demanded. All Board members have co-operated with the Sanitarians in making numerous "spot inspections."

The Board has continued to schedule Immunization Clinics, childhood and influenza, with the cooperation of the Fairhaven Community Nurse Association. The clinics were well attended, and statistics prove they were effective in the decreasing number of childhood diseases reported. We had a little difficulty getting Flu vaccine this year but did manage to procure enough to inoculate approximately 599 town residents, plus 170 patients in the local nursing homes.



Our rabies vaccination program for animals was expanded this year to include cats. This was also done on a regional basis in response to repeated warnings from the MDPH of the increase in cat rabies.

The Board again sponsored an animal Encephalomyelitis Clinic, conducted by Philip R. Gaudet, DVM. 15 horses were vaccinated.

The following Communicable Diseases were reported this year:

Animal Bites:	35 dog	5 cat	3 rat
191 Chicken Pox		7 Hepatitis	
26 Strep Throat		5 Scarlet Fever	
3 Salmonellosis		12 Gonorrhea	
Premature Births:	6	Burial Permits:	94

The following licenses and permits were issued:

410 Food Handler's Certificates	3 Wells
94 Food Establishments	2 Health Spas
5 Milk (dealers)	3 Motels
75 Milk (store)	18 Swimming Pools
3 Milk (vehicles)	3 Removal of Offal
10 Catering (mobile)	13 Percolation Tests
2 Frozen Dessert	5 Boat Marinas
	12 Animal Permits

Individual Disposal Systems:

10 Installers 19 Systems

Total Fees Collected: \$5,914.25

## ANIMAL INSPECTOR'S REPORT

There were 530 animal inspections for the Board of Health, and 269 dead animals properly disposed of. Several site inspections were made prior to the issuance of animal permits, and nuisance complaints were investigated, especially where pigeons and rabbits were being kept. Animal permits are required on an annual basis; however, due to the large number of animals in Fairhaven, it is difficult to police and enforce the regulations.

KEVIN BARAO



## SANITARIAN'S REPORT

Not to sound redundant, but poor and impervious soil conditions continue to plague many of the property owners in the Town of Fairhaven.

Poor soil conditions not only impede an effective repair to an existing system but greatly add to the initial cost of a new sub surface sewage disposal system. This situation also adds to the task of the Board of Health in their approving of many and varied repairs.

While sewer connections are constantly being accomplished, conditions will be further improved when overworked disposal systems are discontinued and the Town sewer is utilized.

Although many questions pertaining to hazardous waste and materials remain unanswered, information continues to come from the State and Federal government which in turn is disseminated to proper agencies.

MILTON K. DELANO

## SANITARIAN'S REPORT

1983 was a rather productive year, especially in matters concerning the certified laboratory. A total of 715 water analyses were performed. 309 in State mandated public drinking water; 69 in Fairhaven beach sampling; 71 for the Fairhaven Water Pollution Control Facility; 42 for the Fairhaven Water Department during the program to reline and replace aging water pipes; 38 for special samples and 161 for mandatory Quality Control. We also agreed, as a courtesy to our neighbor Mattapoisett, to test their Town Beach water for a nominal fee. 25 such analyses were done.

Two seminars were attended, one concerning new State regulations and implementation for bulk food operations in retail food establishments, and the other on new Chapter II regulations regarding Minimum Standards of Fitness for Human Habitation.

There were 9 calls for Chapter II inspections, 2 new and newly renovated Day Care Centers, 1 new caterer and 1 new retail establishment opening.

In accordance with the Board of Health Rules and Regulations all retail food establishments which prepare and/or sell food to the public were inspected at least 3 times throughout the year. All

establishments maintained at least the minimum requirements set under Article X of the State Sanitary Code.

Over all it was a very active and fulfilling year and I would like to thank all those with whom I worked, and the town for allowing me the opportunity to serve.

PATRICIA B. FOWLE

The Board of Health would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who have assisted in any way to carry out our program, designed to provide the best health and welfare interest for the Town of Fairhaven.

To the Community Nurse Association of Fairhaven, who provide public health nursing under contract; to Albert Chase of A & A Pest Control, who provides an efficient rodent control program at the Sanitary Landfill Site, and other areas in Town when needed; to the Fairhaven Funeral Home and Phil Silva for so graciously giving of their time to issue burial permits on weekends and holidays; and especially to those who have been appointed to the following duties:

Patricia B. Fowle and Milton K. Delano, Sanitarians  
Kevin Barao, Animal Inspector/Burial of Animals

Respectfully submitted,

DR. GEORGE WALMSLEY  
*Chairman*

DR. EDWARD J. MEE  
FRANK BARCELLOS  
SHIRLEY M. ROSE, *Secretary*  
ELSIE T. CECIL, *Senior Clerk*

## COMMUNITY NURSE ASSOCIATION OF FAIRHAVEN, MASSACHUSETTS, INC.

The Community Nurse Association of Fairhaven, Massachusetts, Inc., continues to provide Public Health Services to the residents of Fairhaven with the cooperation of the Board of Health.

During the past year, St. Luke's Hospital discontinued postnatal and neonatal referrals, other than premature infants and certain high risk newborns. This has reduced visits to that segment of the population.

Childhood Immunization Clinics are held every 8-9 weeks from September to May and there was a 22½% increase in attendance the past year.

Three Influenza Clinics were held with 579 attending.

The Tuesday and Friday Walk-in Sessions (2:00 P.M. — 3:00 P.M.) are popular and are now held in the Banquet Room in the Town Hall to better accommodate those attending. Geriatric Health Counseling Sessions are held monthly by appointment.

I appreciate the support and cooperation of the Board of Health and everyone who assists.

Respectfully submitted,

ADA M. MACOMBER, R.N.  
*Administrator*

Ada M. Macomber, R.N., *Administrator*  
Susan M. Guy, R.N., *Assistant Administrator*  
Virginia B. Whalen, R.N.  
Estelle Holland, R.N.  
Evelyn Ellis, R.N.  
Barbara E. Aubuchon, *Accounts Manager*  
Dianne C. Saucier, *Secretary-Clerk*

January 1, 1983 — December 31, 1983

## HEALTH PROMOTION

### Home

Prenatal .....	4
Post Natal .....	216
Newborn .....	211
Premature .....	9
Child Growth and Development .....	236
Communicable Disease Follow-up .....	7
Hepatitis Follow-up .....	2
Salmonella Follow-up ...	5
Tuberculosis Follow-up .....	5
Inactive .....	3
Active .....	1
Suspect .....	1
Adult Health Guidance .....	<u>108</u>

Total ..... 796

### Office

Child Growth and Development .....	1
Communicable Disease Follow-up .....	10
Hepatitis Contact .....	10
Adult Health Supervision .....	<u>2</u>

Total ..... 13

TOTAL VISITS ..... 809

## WALK-IN SESSIONS (100)

Tuberculosis Follow-up (Mantoux Testing)	915
Adult Health Guidance .....	489
Health Counseling Follow-up .....	27
Child Health and Development .....	<u>1</u>

Total ..... 1,432

## GERIATRIC HEALTH COUNSELING SESSIONS (12)

Admissions .....	14
Revisits .....	<u>183</u>

Total ..... 197

Discharged ..... 146

## IMMUNIZATION CLINICS

### Childhood Diseases (5)

Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis (DPT) .....	47
Tetanus, Diphtheria (TD) .....	93
Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) .....	56
Trivalent Poliomyelitis (TOPV) .....	<u>46</u>

Total ..... 242

### Influenza (3)

Fluzone (A/Brazil 11/78, A Philippines 2/82, Singapore 222/79) .....	579
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Total ..... 579

TOTAL — ALL CLINICS ..... 821



## BOARD OF APPEALS

The Fairhaven Board of Appeals held twelve (12) meetings during the year 1983. The Board acted on thirty-eight (38) petitions, granting eighteen (18), denying nine (9). Three (3) were withdrawn without prejudice and had to be postponed to another date.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM C. BRENNAN

*Secretary*

## BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

The Fairhaven Board of Public Works would like to thank all the employees in the departments for their cooperation and dedication during the past year. The Board especially would like to thank Mr. Lucien E. Fortin, Water Superintendent, for his fifty years of service to the Town of Fairhaven.

The year 1983 was extremely busy as numerous projects were completed. In mid-July the New Public Works Building was finished and the Highway, Park, Sewer, Water and Office Personnel moved to their new home at 5 Arsene Street. This new building will result in a more efficient operation and better service for the residents of Fairhaven.

Also in late July, the three (3) New Pumping Stations on Wolf Island Road in Mattapoisett went on-line. These three stations, combined, have the capability of providing up to one million gallons of water per day. The quality of water is excellent with no treatment necessary. Since these stations went on-line, the Town has purchased very little water from New Bedford and Fairhaven should be independent except during drought periods.

Another wellfield site in Mattapoisett has been located. Once Town Meeting appropriates funds for its development, this site will have the capabilities of providing more than one million gallons per day.

Major improvements to the Town Water and Sewer System occurred during 1983. Using a \$318,000 Matching Water Rehabilitation Grant from the State, approximately 19,000 feet of Water Mains were cleaned and lined on Main Street from Howland Road to Ferry Street and on Washington Street from Main Street to Mill Road.

Water Mains were installed on Laurel Street, Doane Street and Fort Street to improve water pressure and Fire Protection. Water



Mains were also installed in sections of Oxford Street, North Walnut Street, Linden Avenue, Massasoit Avenue, North William Street, Cherry Street, Francis Street and Bellevue Avenue to improve water pressure. All lead water services in these areas were replaced with copper and seventeen (17) new hydrants were installed.

Using a Small Cities Grant of \$375,000, the Bridge Street and Spring Street Sewer Pumping Stations were eliminated. Also, this grant provides for new sewer mains in portions of Bridge Street, Main Street, Spring Street and Pease Street and the reconstruction of portions of Bridge Street and Main Street. All lead water services in Bridge Street and Main Street were replaced.

Storm Drain improvements were made on South Street and Union Street to alleviate flooding and to disconnect Catch Basins from the Town Sewer System.

The Town has received another Small Cities Grant to eliminate the old Rotch Street Sewer Pumping Station. This project will begin in December 1983 and should be completed by September 1984. Work on South Street for this project will be very slow as 2,200 cubic yards of ledge will have to be removed and excavation depths of 20 feet will have to be made.

By using "Chapter 90" State Funds, Main Street from Route 6 to Howland Road will be reconstructed with the installation of additional Storm Drains and Catch Basins. Also, all lead water services will be replaced. Work on this project should begin in the summer of 1984 and be completed prior to December 1, 1984.

Currently under design are a proposed Water Town on Sconticut Neck Road in the Grandview Avenue area and a Water Main on Causeway Road from Sconticut Neck Road to Fir Street on West Island.

Retention Basins are also being designed for the Long Road, Dana Pond area to eliminate flooding in this area. If funds are voted at the Annual Town Meeting, these projects will also begin during 1984.

Also expected to begin in 1984 is the enlargement of the Fairhaven Sewerage Treatment Plant.

Many streets and roads in Town are in need of major reconstruction. Unfortunately, funding has been drastically cut during the last two years: FY 82 — \$226,000, FY 83 — \$175,000, FY 84 — \$54,000. Unless Town Meeting begins to fund road repairs, Fairhaven is heading toward becoming "Pothole City". The Highway Department has the equipment and the manpower to

reconstruct streets, however if funds are not voted, little can be done but patch holes.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH CATALDO, JR.,

*Chairman*

VICTOR OLIVEIRA, JR.,

*Vice-Chairman*

MANUEL CORREIRA, *Clerk*

PAUL E. FRANCIS

DAVID SZELIGA

JEFFREY W. OSUCH,

*Superintendent*

## HIGHWAY DIVISION

During the year 1983 the Highway Department has been very busy reconstructing streets, laying drainage lines, repairing man-holes and catch basins, cold mix patching, grading dirt streets, repairing sidewalks, removing tree stumps, replacing street signs, grass and brush cutting, ditch cleaning, street sweeping, and snow removal being the major parts of our work.

The street reconstruction program included the following streets:

Linden Avenue — from Green Street to N. Walnut Street

Moravia Avenue — from Sconticut Neck Road to the end

Tripp Street — from Washington Street to Centre Street

Reservation Road — from Raymond Street to Bernese Street.

These streets represent 2,100 feet of reconstruction which includes drainage, gravel, process stone, asphalt and curbing.

Streets receiving large patch work and resurfacing were Cottage Street, Deane Street, Morton Street, Winsor Street, Morgan Street, Alden Road, Main Street, Green Street and Fort Street.

Other streets that were resurfaced under water and sewer contracts are:

Doane Street — from Laurel Street to Fort Street

Oxford Street — from Main Street to N. Walnut Street

Main Street — from Bridge Street to Park Motors

Bridge Street — from Middle Street to Main Street.

Alder Street and Balsam Street received oil and chipped stone again this year which has made a good hard surface from Causeway Road to the Town Beach.

Potholes remain a serious problem with many streets being patched several times during the year. We have placed over 200 tons of cold mix this year.

The Highway Department has placed over 1,600 feet of new drain lines with catch basins and manholes on the following streets:

Balsam Street, Cove Road, Main Street at Bridge Street, Main Street at Cowen Street, Pease Street at Main Street, Bridge Street between Middle Street and Main Street, North Street, Roseanne Drive, Manhattan Avenue at Grove Street, Grinnell Street and the BPW Building. Repair work to catch basins and manholes have been made throughout the Town.

The sidewalk participation program has again worked very well and could use more money as we have had to turn away some applicants due to the lack of money.

I would like to thank the men of the Highway Department for their cooperation and for doing a fine job for the many different phases of work they must do.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. HARRISON  
*Highway Department  
Superintendent*

## PARK DIVISION

Vandalism continues to be the major problem in our Park Areas.

At Livesey Park, the bathroom facilities were broken and toilets filled with debris to make them inoperable. The tennis court nets were slashed and the basketball hoops had to be taken down as they could not be repaired again.

At Cushman Park 50 feet of ballfield fence was demolished by a car, however, the vandals were apprehended by the Police Department and the fence repaired. The Band Shelter has had shingles pulled off the roof and the rear wall broken into several times.

At Pimental-Macomber Field the dugout fences were demolished, being pulled out of the ground.

At Fort Phoenix the entrance gate has been broken and chains cut. Signs have been destroyed and bottles smashed on the rocks.

At the West Island Town Beach the Highway Department took down the old cement block bathhouse. The bathhouse has been replaced with a Portable Trailer which has worked out fine.

The Tower still remains a favorite target for vandals, bottles being broken against it and the door broken beyond repair.

The Park Department has been very busy this year with maintenance and repairs to our Town Parks, Memorials, Ballfields and other recreation areas.

I would like to thank the men in the Park Department for a job well done.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. HARRISON  
*Superintendent*

### SANITATION DIVISION

I would like to thank the men at the Landfill Site for doing a fine job during the year.

We continue to work in the Phase II Area. This summer, we worked in the Northwest corner to take advantage of the good weather, this being the furthest point from the Bridge Street entrance.

Minor repair work was done to the 955 Loader and 816 Compactor. Both are running satisfactorily.

The Refuse Contractor continues to do satisfactory work and has received good reports from the public.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. HARRISON  
*Superintendent*

### WATER DIVISION

The major achievement for the Water Division for 1983 was the full operation of our new Wolf Island Road Pumping Station in Mattapoisett, yielding one million gallons of water per day.

We pumped 397,349,800 gallons of water from our pumping stations and purchased 42,952,500 gallons from the City of New Bedford.

In our meter replacement program 190 old meters were replaced. Thirty-five new water services were added to our system. Nineteen old galvanized house services were replaced with copper



tubing. Thirty-one street leaks were repaired and five main breaks were repaired. Maintenance work continued with repairs to fire hydrants, eighteen old hydrants were replaced with new ones. Eleven new hydrants were added to our system. 2,880' of 6" water main, 2,060' — 8" water main and 816' — 12" water main were added to our system. 1,100' — 8" water main replaced an old 6" main on Fort Street.

On September 18, 1983, the Wolf Island Pumping Station was dedicated in my name in appreciation for fifty years of service with the Water System. The ceremony was a complete surprise. Again I would like to thank the Board of Public Works and all my friends who helped make that day one I will never forget. I would also like to thank the men of my department, the office staff for their co-operation, and all divisions for their assistance during this past year.

Respectfully submitted,

LUCIEN E. FORTIN

*Water Superintendent*

### **WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY AND COLLECTION SYSTEM**

The year 1983 has been an exceptionally busy one for the employees of the Sewer Division and the Water Pollution Control Facility.

The Treatment Facility handled a total of 873.73 million gallons of which 665.67 million gallons received secondary treatment and 208.06 million gallons received primary treatment.

The Town of Mattapoisett contributed 39.28 million gallons from January 1, 1983 to December 31, 1983.

The median values for Biochemical Oxygen Demand (B.O.D.) in the influent was 119.7 MG/L and the effluent was 18.5 MG/L with an 85% removal. The Suspended Solids (S.S.) in the influent was 147.7 MG/L and the effluent was 32.6 MG/L with an 78% removal rate.

The facility processed 325 tons of dry solids and 456,400 gallons (249 loads) of septic waste.

There were 58 new permits issued to private installers for new services. The department renewed 1 service and replaced a 30 ft. section of main pipe on Larch Avenue. We also installed six new services and repaired 16 broken services. A 6" service was installed

for the Council on Aging from Sconticut Neck Road to Grove Street.

The Sewer Department responded to 220 emergency calls for plugged sewer services and or sewer mains.

The elimination of two of our pumping stations, located at Bridge Street and Spring Street has been completed. Also, the renewal of sewer mains and some services in certain sections of Spring, Main, Pease, Cowen and Bridge Streets have been completed.

The engineering has been completed for the elimination of the Rotch Street Pumping Station and the construction for this project has already begun and should be completed by September of 1984.

The Town of Fairhaven received \$19,326.00 for Chemical Reimbursement. The reimbursement was 50% of all monies spent for chemicals used to process sludge at the treatment facility. This reimbursement was issued thru the office of the Massachusetts D.E.Q.E., Division of Water Pollution Control.

The Sewer Department purchased a new Jet Rodder which cleans the sewer mains. With the old equipment approximately 425 ft. of main pipe could be cleaned. With the new Jet Rodder we have been able to clean approximately 2,500 ft. per day. This piece of equipment is not only being used to clean sewer mains but also to clean drainage lines.

We had two employees go to school this year and Steve Walker has received his Grade VI Certification for Wastewater Treatment.

I would like to express my appreciation to the employees of the Sewer Department and the Water Pollution Control Facility for their cooperation and a job well done.

Respectfully submitted,

Alfred F. Raphael  
*Supervisor & Chief Treatment  
Plant Operator*



## BUILDING DEPARTMENT

The year 1983 brought the appointment of Arthur Cushing as Chief Inspector of Wires, and the retirement of Raymond Morse as Plumbing and Gas Inspector.

Due to an unseasonably mild winter and a healthy economy, construction projects continued throughout the year. The dollar value of residential projects increased 187% while commercial projects increased a staggering 401%.

We extend our sincere thanks to the community for their continued support and to all other Town Departments that assist us daily.

The following building permits were issued during 1983:

Residential Structures	15	\$ 635,000.00
Commercial Structures	7	808,400.00
Accessory Structures	35	51,760.00
Additions & Alterations		
Residential	104	464,624.00
Commercial	21	5,464,600.00
Miscellaneous:		
Swimming Pools	18	80,650.00
Wood Stoves, Chimneys,		
Etc.	21	20,880.00
Solar Projects	4	27,600.00
Signs	19	25,746.00
Other	10	44,100.00
Demolitions	9	50,000.00
	<u>263</u>	<u>\$7,673,360.00</u>

During 1983, this department conducted 59 inspections related to issuing State Certificates of Inspection, and other inspections as required, relating to new construction, building and zoning violations, wetland and landfill operations.

A total of \$9,379.02 was collected building permit fees, plus \$2,207.00 in annual inspection fees, totaling \$11,586.02.

	<u>Permits</u>	<u>Inspections</u>	<u>Fees</u>
Wiring	319	332	\$ 7,463.00
Plumbing	127	133	1,732.00
Gasfitting	176	181	2,256.00

The department as a whole collected \$23,037.02 in total fees.

Respectfully submitted,  
TIMOTHY M. ALLISON  
*Building Commissioner*

SHIRLEY M. ROSE  
*Head Administrative Clerk*

ELSIE T. CECIL  
*Senior Clerk/Typist*

Wire Inspectors:

Arthur L. Cushing, *Chief*  
Carlton Davis, *Associate*  
Randall C. Durrigan, *Associate*

Gasfitting Inspectors:

Harry Whiting  
Milton K. Delano, P.E.

Plumbing Inspectors:

Joseph U. Cardoza  
William J. Alphonse

## CIVIL DEFENSE

During the 1983 year, the Civil Defense has been active in numerous civil endeavors including the Memorial Day Parade, the Civil War Encampment, the Lady of Angels Feast, the Dartmouth Old Home Day, and the dedication ceremonies of the new DPW building. However, on November 25, the Civil Defense as a civil preparedness agency proved its usefulness in a time of emergency. Due to heavy rains and high winds the Civil Defense was called upon to aid the residents of West Island in crossing the flooded causeway should the need arise. Our vehicles were prepared and readied and our members responded within one-half hour. Three fully equipped vehicles were on the island and qualified volunteers manned these units ready for any eventuality. The Civil Defense was there in a time of emergency.

We are still in search of a permanent home. However, the Civil Defense Building Committee has been formed to find a solution. It has examined quite a few buildings and courses of action in the process, but no definite plans have been formulated. Utmost in our minds is to keep expenses to a minimum for the taxpayers in the town of Fairhaven.

Civil Defense preparedness reports have been submitted to the area headquarters in Bridgewater. Federal funds have been received

as reimbursements to the town of Fairhaven. To date approximately \$1,500.00 has been applied for through this program.

The Civil Defense has begun the process of updating our emergency shelters. Through the cooperation of the American Red Cross, shelter managers will be trained and the inspection of all shelters will soon begin. Our warning sirens have been maintained and are tested every Saturday at 12 noon.

We are looking forward to a very productive year. Through the efforts of our dedicated, hard-working volunteers, the Civil Defense agency will serve the residents in the town of Fairhaven to the best of their ability.

Respectfully submitted,

MACY F. JOSEPH III

*Director*

## PLANNING BOARD

Major sub-division activity during 1983 was non-existent. New building activity was also at a minimum, although improving over 1982 as economic conditions reversed their 1982 downward trend. Single family unit permits increased by 50%.

The Board continued its concern of regulations governing building within the Nasketucket River Basin District. Its area has now been extended to the eastern boundary of New Boston Road. Revised regulations for control within the Basin are being formulated for submission in 1984. It is important that this Town watershed be preserved as a non-polluting facility — providing potable water to the Community.

Planning Board approval and support of a proposal for funding a project to remove the Rotch Street sewerage pumping station enabled the Town Planner to secure a grant of \$272,000 for this purpose. The Board's support enabled SRPEDD to help in the successful application process.

Lack of progress in completing the project of implementing the proposed use of Union Wharf as a public facility has caused some concern by members of the Board. It is hoped that this will come into being during 1984.

The Board is composed of eight elected members for four-year terms. Concern exists in the fact that some members rarely or never attend meetings and are essentially inactive in the planning process.

It is hoped that in future elections, Townspeople will take note of this fact and elect those willing to be active, knowledgeable and concerned in the orderly and controlled growth of the community.

The Board has lent its support in the process of placing an application for funding in updating the Town's Master Plan. This study would be oriented toward development, in the phases of where and of what type is best suited for the Town of Fairhaven. Control of this important function is important due to the limited availability of areas of the Town for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND FLEURENT, *Chairman*

ALBERT BORGES, *Vice Chairman*

ALBERT RODERIKUES, *Clerk*

ARNOLD CORREIA

JOHN RODERIKUES, JR.

ANTONE COSTA

ANTONE MEDEIROS

CHANNING HAYWARD

JOYCE LISTER, *Secretary*

NICHOLAS TANGNEY, *Town Planner*

## SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

The average individual expends a large portion of his income on the necessities of life which are sold by weight or measure. This would include gasoline, fuel oil, meat, produce and numerous other packaged, bottled and canned items.

The activities of this department protect the public against accidental or intentional shortages in their purchases of goods obtained by weight or measures.

All business weighing and measuring devices, market and industrial scales, gasoline station meters, fuel oil truck meters, pharmacist scales and taxi meters by law must be approved annually by this department.

The following weighing and measuring devices were tested and sealed as required by state statute between January 1, and December 31, 1983.



## Sealer of Weights and Measures 1983 Summary of Field Inspections

Capacity	Adjusted	Sealed	Not Sealed	Condemned
<b>Scales</b>				
5000 to 10000 lbs.		1		
1000 to 5000 lbs.		2		
100 to 1000 lbs.	3	28		
10 to 100 lbs.	24	97	1	1
10 lbs. or less	2	17		
<b>Weights</b>				
Avoirdupois	9	64		3
Metric	13	98		6
Apothecary	8	95		5
Gasoline Meters	23	94		

The following is a list of commodities reweighed during the year.

Item	Total	Correct	Under	Over
Bread	320	290	6	24
Fruits and Vegetables	471	441	13	17
Meats	490	458	15	17
Potatoes	65	51	3	11
Provisions	163	160	-	3
Milk	180	164	6	8

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. PRZYBYSZEWSKI  
*Sealer of Weights and Measures*

## COUNCIL ON AGING

The Council on Aging has had a very busy year in attempting to keep up the delivery of services to the seniors. Requests for services are increasing every month as the elder population continues to grow. State wide the 80 to 90 year old is the age bracket increasing the fastest. The figures taken from the current Fairhaven Census Book gives a count of 3,475 seniors 60 years of age and over. Break-down of this figure is 129 — 90 years of age and older, 561 — 80/89 years old, 1,307 — 70/79 years old and 1,748 — 60/69 years old.

Our recorded annual report of services totaled 56,757 of which 2,311 seniors appreciate the help we gave them. These services which were rendered included referrals to agencies, general information, outreach, congregate and home delivered meals, nutrition and



community education, legal aid, transportation, housing assistance, recreation, parties, drop-in, weatherization and fuel assistance, taxes, newsletter and the distribution of cheese and butter.

Serving as a Council member does not mean only one meeting a month. Coastline Elderly Services, Inc. is our Area Agency on Aging which requires two members from each of the eight Councils on Aging in their districts.

This past year the appointments from Fairhaven Council were:

Virginia Carey	—	Advisory Board and member of Visiting Nurses Association
George O'Neil	—	Board of Directors and Executive Board of A.A.R.P.
Dr. George Walmsley	—	F.H. Board of Health
Pedro Monteiro	—	Board of Directors and Musicians Union
Elmira McKenzie	—	Visiting Nurses Association
John Keary	—	Board of Directors By-Laws Committee, Chairman Legislative Committee F.H. Housing Had Hoc Committee
Monica Belliveau	—	Executive Board Board of Directors Elected Clerk of Corp. Advisory Board, Clerk T-111 Review/Evaluation Committee Grievance Committee Nutrition Project Council, Chairman

other people from Fairhaven are:

Alvin Anderson	—	Advisory Board
Charles Klubowicz	—	Advisory Board
Dina Lee	—	Advisory Board
Ada Macomber	—	Advisory Board
Selectman Walter Silveira	—	Advisory Board
Louise Walters	—	Advisory Board and T-111 Review Committee
Anthony Catojo	—	Advisory Board T-111 Review Committee

This past year we lost a very valued and experienced Council member, John Humphrey passed away in March. He was affiliated with Coastline Elderly Services, Inc. as Chairman of the Board of Directors. He was also very involved with Boy Scouts of America and many other civic activities.

The physical fitness program has continued to be conducted this past year by volunteers.

Monday and Tuesday nights the Center is used by Girl Scouts and Brownies.

We have been very busy attempting to finish some of the renovations in the Senior Center.

New sliding windows with screens have been installed.

New rods and drapes have been hung.

The floor has been refinished which greatly improve the appearance of the Center.

The parking lot has been black-topped.

After a very frustrating year in attempting to have a vestibule built we are now at this date almost to the completion of this very necessary addition. Many of these renovations have been accomplished with the generous help of many people, both private, organizational and Government programs. We deeply appreciate their help.

The handicap bathroom is completed except for painting.

The plumbing of the center has been connected to the sewer omitting a very serious drain problem.

This next year our concentration will be on the exterior of the building.

We have received from Senator MacLean the following list of fourteen legislative proposals passed by the Legislature, signed by the Governor and are now on the statute books of the Commonwealth.

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| Chapter 544 | — | Establishing a Nursing Home Ombudsman Program  |
| Chapter 527 | — | An act enabling cities and towns to regulate the conversion of residential property to the condominium form of ownership |
| Chapter 565 | — | An act relative to the health care services for certain patients in nursing homes  |

Chapter 575	—	An act providing increased housing units in the Commonwealth
Chapter 637	—	An act providing for a transportation development and improvement program for the Commonwealth
Chapter 341	—	Requiring banks to honor and cash certain checks for pensioners and retirees
Chapter 1	—	Making an appropriation to provide for supplementing Home Care Services for elders in the amount of \$3,163,698
Chapter 283	—	Relative to the discontinuance and relocation of residents within mobile home parks
Chapter 513	—	Increasing time for stay of execution for elderly and handicapped tenants in summary process actions
Chapter 619	—	An act exempting certain games conducted at elderly housing projects from laws regulating the State Lottery
Chapter 501	—	Authorizing issuance of a beano license to the Arlington Seniors Association, Inc. of the Town of Arlington
Chapter 220	—	An act increasing the amount of Homestead Protection
Chapter 586	—	An act relative to the eligibility of Councils on Aging for certain insurance purposes
Chapter 694	—	Victim Bill of Rights.

The only disappointment the Council has in the fact that there is not enough interest taken by residents of all ages to pay a visit with us to be informed of the Councils involvement with the senior population. We hope in the future you will stop in and see us.

We continue to receive full support from the other departments in town and the Department of Elder Affairs. Again we wish to thank them.

Last but not least a tremendous thank you to the volunteers who help with various programs.

Respectfully submitted,

DORIS GREEN, *Director*  
MONICA BELLIVEAU, *Chairperson*  
JOHN KEARY, *Vice-Chairman*  
VIRGINIA CAREY, *Treasurer*  
GEORGE O'NEIL, *Board Member*  
PEDRO MONTEIRO, *Board Member*  
DR. GEORGE WALMSLEY,  
*Board Member*  
ELMIRA McKENZIE, *Board Member*

## FAIRHAVEN HISTORICAL COMMISSION

### Annual Report for 1983

Your Commission in 1983 had an active year. Its monthly meetings were well attended and the dedication of its members made it a productive year.

The principal event of the year was our co-sponsoring the Re-enactment of the Civil War battle of Fort Wagner. This event was expanded this year and proved to be an experience to remember. It was well planned and executed by Donald R. Bernard, Commander of the 3rd Regiment Heavy Artillery, Massachusetts Volunteers.

The Academy Building was our main project and much was accomplished. The roof on the south side of the building was re-shingled, the chimneys repointed, The Bell Tower repaired and made secure, the foundation resealed, the basement ventilated, and the inside walls and ceilings were repaired and painted. Additional improvements are planned for 1984.

The Park Department Building on Spring Street was turned over to the Commission for the purpose of converting it into a Fire Museum. This building, erected in 1847, was a Fire Station and is of historic value. The Fairhaven Protecting Society under the direction of Mr. John Rogers has accepted the responsibility of making this building a Fire Museum.

The Commission was also active in other areas namely maintaining Fort Phoenix, Old Stone School House and the Moby Dick Trail. We feel confident that 1984 will be as productive in protecting Fairhaven's heritage.



We wish to thank Mr. Edwin L. McQuillan for his many years on the Commission and welcome Mrs. Gail Isaksen as his replacement.

Respectfully submitted,  
LOUIS A. VEILLEUX, JR.  
*Chairman*

#### MEMBERS

Rita E. Steele, *Secretary*  
Donald R. Bernard  
Milton K. Delano  
Everett J. Macomber, Jr.  
Elizabeth I. Hastings  
Diane Ashley

#### ASSOCIATES

Edwin L. McQuillan (*Resigned*)  
Gail Isaksen  
Helen Radcliffe  
Marjorie Potter  
Kenneth Vining  
Nicholas Tangney, *Advisor*

### VETERANS' SERVICES

The office of Veterans' Services granted financial assistance to thirty-three Veterans and widows during 1983, for a total of sixty-three people. This figure fluctuates yearly depending on the number of people in the families being aided.

Caseload breakdown by period of Service:

World War II	17
Korea	4
Vietnam	<u>12</u>
	33

This office works with the Division of Employment Security in trying to place Veterans in jobs. In addition, the Veterans Administration has initiated a Federal Emergency Job Training Program for eligible Veterans of Korea and Vietnam.

We received reimbursements from three assignment cases this year, in addition to the annual 50% reimbursement from the state. These funds go into the General Fund.

The State Office has advised that there will be an increase in budget figures in 1984. However, we will attempt to operate with a level-funded budget.

Respectfully submitted,  
EVERETT J. MACOMBER, *Agent*  
ESTHER WOJCIK, *Clerk*



## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

### GIFTS

We receive and receive abundantly. A very special donation was made to us this summer from the Reverend Matthew Sullivan, S.S., C.C. The old organ was stored in the basement of St. Mary's for many years after a new one was bought. Father knew that we would be delighted to own such a treasure and so it was set up for us in the Library Auditorium. We have had experts changing tubes and tuning up so that we shall be able to have more enriching programs.

The Sea Spray Chapter, Embroiderers' Guild of America asked each member to make a needlepoint ornament for our Christmas tree. We bought a small replantable tree which stands in the foyer near the Circulation Desk for admiration and protection.

Donations are sent to us from friends of the library: Miss Helen Bryant, Mrs. Dorothy Rogers, Mrs. William K. Laughlin and the Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church. A silk floral arrangement, Japanese style, was sent for the Rogers Room from the Board of the Bradford Russell Home. Mr. Arthur P. Sylvia made a lovely miniature velvet chair for the living room of the doll house.

Mr. Arthur Moniz, our famous local artist, presented us with lithograph, number three, of the library. Number four was ordered for a wedding gift to be sent to Diana Cara Broughton, eldest child of Lord and Lady Fairhaven. Diana was married October the twenty-fourth in London.

Richard Dennie came into the office one day with an antique paperweight of the Library. Mrs. Hugh B. Darden, Jr. presented us with an autographed photograph of Edwin Booth.

Two permanent loans were placed in our custody. One is an early New England Powder Horn from Leonard Pierce, who received it from Mae Delano. The date is 1780. Raymond Canastra, a deep-sea fisherman, discovered a prehistoric shark's tooth in his net with the help of one of the Wood Hole scientists. He had the tooth conditioned and framed and now stands in the scrimshaw case.

Our generous patrons are forever bringing in cartons of paperbacks and hardcover books. The most scholarly collection came to us from the library of Frederick R. Koch. Thirty-one cartons of books, magazines and records were shipped this summer from his library. Given A. Brewer donated volumes of valuable family history.

## DECEASED FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Miss Avis M. Pillsbury, Librarian, 1928-1953 and a part-time worker from 1953-1957, died suddenly at the beginning of the year. The funeral was held on January 6. A dedication to her work may be found in the 1953 Annual Report. A memorial fund was set up in her name by her many friends and Miss Pillsbury remembered the Library in her will.

In January, a memorial fund was started for George Freitas who passed away in December, 1982. Some of this fund has already been used to buy a microfiche attachment for our new Microfilm Reader.

In March, Susan Johansen Silva died in an automobile accident. Her many friends and relatives started a fund in her name.

Other patrons were remembered by books from friends and by donations from the Colonial Club. The older memorial funds have been supplemented throughout the years, and books were added in the name of those listed.

These people we shall miss greatly: Audell Monk, Mrs. Evelyn Greenfield, Mrs. Arville D. Dodge, Mr. Lawrence B. Maxfield, Cuthbert W. Tunstall, John B. Humphreys, Mrs. Florence Kobak, Allen D. Besse and Richard A. Dennie.

## LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

### Special Events — I.

A set of twenty-four volumes of the works of Mark Twain were sent to the Library from the estate of Henry Rogers Benjamin.

Mr. Benjamin's father, William Evarts Benjamin, a scholar and collector of rare books and manuscripts, was a special friend of the famous author who sent this set to him as a token of their regard for one another. In twenty-three of the volumes, on the fly leaf, are humorous excerpts from his writings.

Mr. Benjamin, as a note of interest, selected the original collection of books for the Library in 1893.

### Special Events — II.

Donald Bernard is the Commanding Officer of Co. B, 3rd regiment Heavy Artillery, Mass. Vols. that held a Civil War encampment

at Fort Phoenix September 9-11, 1983, ending with the re-enactment of the assault of Fort Wagner, Charleston, S.C., July 1863.

The black regiment had a member, Private William H. Carney, who has ancestors alive in New Bedford. They were invited to a reception at the Library to view the exhibits of his artifacts and the Congressional Medal of Honor he won as a result of his actions in the attack.

## GENERAL

The following are a list of the organizations making use of our Library almost every year: Sea-Spray Chapter, Embroiderers' Guild of America, The Board of the Fairhaven Historical Society, as well as the whole membership hold their meetings here. The Fairhaven Historical Commission, The DAR, The Board of the Bradford Russell Home, The Community Nursing Association, The College Club of New Bedford, The Fairhaven Teachers Association, Delta Kappa Gamma, Psi and Eta Chapters, The Garden Club of New Bedford, the Fairhaven School Department — testing of pre-school children — The Fairhaven High School Restoration Committee, The Friendly Visitors from the YWCA, First Women's Alliance, New Bedford Unitarian Church, Value Line and the Veterans from the Kendrick House in Wareham use the Library regularly. Flu shots were given here by the Community Nursing Association and the Eastern Regional Library System held a workshop on Children's Services at the end of the year.

## USE OF OUR AV EQUIPMENT

Our slide and movie projectors are in constant demand. The Board of Trustees had to make a special ruling that all of our materials may be used by Fairhaven organizations, churches, Scouts and Clubs only.

## CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Tuesday morning story hours continued to be popular. Classes from elementary schools and scout groups visited the Library for tours and bibliographic instructions. The Children's, Young Adults' sections cooperated with the Adult Department in trying to provide as many titles from the Junior High and High School reading lists to as many students as possible.

## ADULT PROGRAMS

When the Library addition was completed, space for programs became available and in 1969, the first adult series was begun.



This, our fourteenth year, featured a film series in the spring, "Georgia O'Keefe," a recent acquisition, started our program off in style. "Ireland," a slide presentation, was given by Louise E. Strongman, featuring her recent trip to that country. A cancellation gave us another occasion for presenting our film, "The World of Andrew Wyeth." The last three films are some of our favorite classics — "The Belles of St. Trinian's", "Swan Lake", and "The Importance of Being Earnest".

In the fall, Marc. A. Williams, Director of Furniture Conservation Services, Haverhill, showed slides on restoring Victorian furniture. Preceding the presentation, Mr. Henry Callan discussed Antique Appraisal. Mr. Earl J. Dias presented other interesting sidelights to Mark Twain and Henry Rogers in his lecture on "Fun and Frolic on the Kanawha;" a beautiful film "Quilts in Women's Lives" was succeeded by Henry Callan's comments and a display of quilts. Selma Mohel reviewed a book about Margaret Michell called "The Road to Tara," by Anne Edwards; Henry Callan had a slide program on "Secrets of Ancient Japanese Gardens;" and the series ended with the recent film, "The Real World of Andrew Wyeth."

In December, The Annual Christmas Program for adults, which has an increased audience each year, is "A Child's Christmas in Wales," a twenty-nine minute film shot in Wales with Dylan Thomas' record as the background.

Our custom is to have Miss Dorothea Paull read the poem before the film so that none of the dialogue will be lost when Dylan Thomas reads.

## THE ART ROOM

Another year of interesting art work has been displayed monthly in the Roger's Room.

In January, George Gauvin exhibited oil paintings of local scenery. In February, Ruth Edwards, from Westport, showed her detailed views of nature, in oil pencil and gouache. Vivian Lewis, a popular Fairhaven figure, brought a collection of oils and watercolors for March. He has been Chairman of the annual Art Exhibit sponsored by the Fairhaven Improvement Association at the June Homecoming Day Fair.

Walter E. Owen, a promotor of art in the area, brought in May a collection of pictures of African animals done in acrylics and watercolors. June was the month for weaving with beautiful pieces done by Hope Atkinson of South Dartmouth.

Still in the handicraft department, Marjorie Reeves, President of the Sea Spray Chapter, Embroiderer's Guild of America, allowed us to show her spectacular needlepoint pictures, some of which have received national recognition. The exhibit ran for two months.

In September, Ray Whittaker, popular photographer and artist from Acushnet, not only showed some of his very fine work but also donated a print of a poster he had done for the Acushnet Peach and Apple Festival. In October Stacy Sunderland brought oils of still life and two portraits.

This was our first exhibit of Julian Underwood's. He brought some beautiful oils and watercolors of local scenes. We were honored to have this distinguished artist for the month of November.

Mrs. Gertrude G. Lopes of Fairhaven brought her oil paintings of local scenes in December. She graciously donated her rendition of the Library which is hanging in the Rogers Room.

#### THE FAIRHAVEN STAR: RESEARCH PROJECT

##### Filing

Research on the Fairhaven Star, town newspaper (1879-1967), has continued throughout 1983, thus completing the sixth year of the project. Careful scrutiny of each issue published has now been finished, and all Star material, pertinent to the history of the town and its citizens, has been itemized and entered on catalog cards. These are contained in two large file cabinets currently offering an estimated 180,000 entries under the categories of SUBJECT, PERSONAGE, LEGAL ITEM and ADVERTISEMENT.

##### CLIPPING LIBRARY

In addition, seventy large research notebooks of clippings have been compiled, containing hundreds of articles pertinent to town history, institutions and population. Much of this information consists of duplicates of Star articles, as well as comment and input regarding the town from other newspapers throughout the area. Much of this clipping has been made possible by clipping donations and notebook cuttings from other interested citizens, and from material accumulated in the old Star offices and donated to the project.

These notebooks are very useful for quick examination of hundreds of areas involving the town.



## DUPLICATION

The Star has been microfilmed, and a microfilm reader-printer has been purchased, thus easing wear and tear on the old volumes themselves, which have all been carefully mended, and are stored under circumstances appropriate to their great intrinsic value.

## VOLUNTEER STAFFING

The project is under the direction of Mabel Hoyle Knipe, currently assisted by Thelma Finan, Alda Hayward, Ernestine Locke and Dorothea Paull.

Library patrons are now invited to use this valuable material, and special research assistance will be given in its use. The office in the Library basement is open Monday through Thursday from 9 A.M. — 12 noon.

## BOOKMOBILE

As in past years, we on the bookmobile continue to keep to a regular schedule on the three days each week we spend in various parts of town.

Our aspect of our work which has been most satisfactory is the growing number of elderly patrons who are becoming aware of our extensive selection of large print books.

Again this year we are indebted to Mrs. Young's daughter, Mrs. Harris, for her donation to further implement our collection.

Because of its age, we have had some functional problems with the bookmobile this year. However, these now seem to be over, and we hope that things will go smoothly from now on, and that we can continue to provide the type of service to our many patrons who have come to expect this.

As our bookmobile begins its twenty-seventh year of continuous service, we look forward to another rewarding and busy year.

## STATISTICS

The Library added 2,158 books and discarded 600 leaving a total of 85,904 books in our collection. 2,813 items were catalogued.

Total circulation was 80,882, 1,119 borrowers registered, making the total of Fairhaven residents library users, 4,442 or 29% of the population.

Respectfully submitted,

RITA E. STEELE, *Librarian*

## PERSONNEL BOARD

In the many years of operation and administration of the Personnel Board, it has concerned itself with some serious issues: administration and revision of the By-Laws, planning for anticipation of the collective bargaining process, and compensation and classification of the non-union employees of the town. Of these duties, none has loomed larger than the last mentioned.

In the last year, the Personnel Board, in conjunction with the consulting firm of Marsh-Sheehan Associates, has undertaken a drastic revision of the Town By-Laws and a new, more equitable and insightful compensation plan. Our non-union personnel will benefit by this new plan and by the revisions in the By-Laws, and we on the Board feel that the Town's union and non-union personnel are now at par morale, which has been low in the past, should rise along with the revised benefits, working conditions and pay scales.

The Personnel Board wishes to express its gratitude to all those who have worked so closely with us on these issues. The cooperation and help we received were instrumental in making so many positive steps possible. The Board also wishes to thank Mr. Dante Vena and Mr. Robert Swift, both of whom have retired from the Personnel Board this past year. Both of these men worked long and hard on the revisions and re-classification plan mentioned above. They have given much to the Town of Fairhaven over the years, and deserve our thanks.

To all Town Meeting members, other boards, department heads, the Town Clerk and Treasurer, and all the employees who were so patient and understanding, we say thank you.

Through cooperation and consultation, the Personnel Board will continue to concern itself with fair treatment toward the Town's employees while remaining cognizant of the tax burdens we all must bear.

We look forward to a productive new year.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID K. SYKES, *Chairman*

BRAD PAIVA

PETER F. STAITI

NORRIS WALECKA, JR.

PAULA C. SIMONSON

*Board Secretary*

## RECREATION COMMISSION

The Recreation Commission has continued to provide Fairhaven with numerous, varied, and worthwhile programs to residents of all ages, and is proud to report that attendance continued to be strong at all levels and that 1983 was a successful year.

The majority of the Commission's programs were sponsored in the summer with the operation of the town beach at West Island and the arts and crafts/gym programs as the main endeavors.

The Commission sponsored arts and crafts programs at both Hastings Junior High School and Livesey Park and reports fine attendance at both locations. A trip to Lincoln Park was also well attended and enjoyed by all.

In addition, the Entin Gym at Hastings was open daily to the youth of the town. School age boys and girls were instructed in and/or participated in such activities as basketball, volleyball, ping pong, weight lifting, tumbling, field hockey, wiffle ball and other sporting activities.

The winter programs were highlighted by the Saturday morning activities at the gyms of the junior and senior high schools. In addition adult activities were sponsored in the evenings at both locations. During the February school vacation two days of skating were offered to all townspeople.

The Commission also helped to coordinate a town youth basketball league for both males and females. Volunteer coaches and many other people have helped to make this program a huge success and it has expanded to both a boys' and girls' league. (The Commission wishes to thank all those who have contributed to the success of this project.)

Due to a technical problem the Annual Tennis Tournament was not held in 1983, however, it is hoped that in 1984 the town Tournament will be reformed and will be once again part of the over-all program.

The Commission has taken other projects under advisement and will announce throughout the year any and all programs available to you, the townspeople.

We wish to thank all who have supported our programs as participants, volunteers, and instructors and express our gratitude to school department personnel for their cooperation throughout the year.

But most of all we would like to express our gratitude to the townspeople for their understanding the need for recreation in our community.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND A. DEAN  
DAVID DAVIGNON  
ANTONE MEDEIROS  
DAVID MEDEIROS  
STEPHEN MEDEIROS  
HOLLY OSTNEBERG  
MARJORIE A. WESTGATE  
JANICE BENOIT, *Board Secretary*

### SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (SRPEDD)

During 1983 the Town of Fairhaven continued its membership for the fourteenth year in the Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District. SRPEDD is a planning and economic development agency formed under state law to serve twenty-eight communities in southeastern Massachusetts by providing a cooperative approach to regional issues.

The District is governed by a Commission consisting of a chief elected official or designee and a planning board representative from each participating municipality and six low-income and minority representatives. Fairhaven's Commission representatives for the Board of Selectmen and Planning Board, respectively, are Kenneth Vining and Raymond Fleurent, who also serves on the Executive Committee. Lynda Pina and Heather G. Bare provide representation as At-Large Commissioners from the New Bedford Area. Heather G. Bare is a member of SEED Corporation and serves on both the Economic Development Committee and the Joint Transportation Planning Group. Nicholas Tangney also represents the town on the Joint Transportation Planning Group as its chairman.

In addition to regional planning and economic development, SRPEDD assists member cities and towns. Through the free municipal assistance program, each community receives time for local projects and assistance in preparing applications for federal and state funds.

The agency's purpose is to plan for regional land use, economic



development, housing, transit, transportation, solid waste, energy resources and conservation, and air and water quality. Local participation in these regional plans enables communities to be eligible for federal and state dollars.

Services to Fairhaven this past year included:

- Providing ongoing professional/Technical planning services;
- Providing Community Développement Block Grant administrative assistance, including preparation of the environmental assessment, organizing the Community Development Office, and hiring the Community Development Director;
- Preparing the second year application under the Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program;
- Assisting the Mattapoisett River Valley Advisory Committee; and
- Assisting the New Bedford Committee on Regional Cooperation, including the preparation of a successful \$7,000 grant to study shared engineering services for the region.

Regional plans and other activities conducted this year benefiting all communities included:

- Approval of over \$230 million in regional grant applications to federal and state agencies and of over \$32 million in Industrial Revenue Bonds which will create approximately 1,200 new jobs in the region.
- Environmental assessment reviews of state and federally funded projects, and reviews of all local zoning amendments. The reviews are advisory and are oriented toward making proposals more cost-effective and feasible.
- The annual update of the Overall Economic Development Program (OEDP) which makes member communities eligible for U.S. Economic Development Administration funding and a 10 percent bonus for public facility projects.
- The annual update of the Transportation Improvements Program (TIP) which lists major projects in each community for federal and state funding. A project must be included on the TIP in order to be eligible for these funds.
- A Housing Conversion and Rehabilitation Program funded with bonus money provided to SRPEDD by the U.S.



Department of Housing and Urban Development. The program provided grants to establish 16 new housing units in existing structures throughout the region.

- Marketing Southeastern Massachusetts — SRPEDD was actively involved in the Golden Connection effort in Connecticut to attract high technology industries to the region and prepared the five publications used to market the region.
- SEED, South Eastern Economic Development Corporation, established and staffed by SRPEDD provides low-interest, long-term financing to small businesses in southeastern Massachusetts through the U.S. Small Business Administration's "503" Program. In 1983, SEED assisted four businesses which resulted in total investments of over \$1.5 million and created 66 jobs.

SRPEDD represents the collective will of its member communities. As the responsibilities and problems of municipalities become increasingly complex, the District can provide technical assistance to local boards, encourage cooperation among communities, and provide a comprehensive approach to issues that cross local boundaries.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH R. VINING  
RAYMOND FLEURENT  
*Delegates*

## SHELLFISH DEPARTMENT

During 1983 the Shellfish Department continued its program of both propagation of quahogs and oysters. Each year shows an increase in both seed quahogs and oysters. This past year also showed an increase in seed and adult soft-shell clams. Hopefully this trend will continue.

The license and permit list is as follows:

Dredging (skipper and boat)	9	@	\$100	= \$	900
Dredging (crew members)	13	@	30	= \$	390
Commercial	104	@	50	= \$5,200	
Non-Resident	11	@	50	= \$	550
Extended Permits	48	@	25	= \$1,200	
Permits	811	@	5	= \$4,055	
Permits — Replacements	2	@	1	= \$	2
Over 70	137		Free		

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH PAULINE  
*Shellfish Constable*

## TOWN PLANNER

The year 1983 saw a marked uptrend in economic conditions resulting in many favorable factors within the Town. Permits were issued for seventeen single-family dwellings, far more than for any recent year.

The ATT complex on Mill Road started an extension of its renovation process for the enlargement of this important Data Processing Center. The present process will be completed shortly but a need for additional space still exists. This need has resulted in options being taken on adjacent land for a new building program for additional expansion.

1983 was a good year for the Town. Midas Muffler built a new facility, at the same time eliminating a traffic hazard by razing an old building abutting Route 6. The Goodyear facility, became Vermette's, and the Star Store located an operation in Berdon Plaza, thereby putting an empty building into an active and successful operation. Day's Electric and Sports relocated to Huttleston Avenue taking an old established operation away from the Town's Center. It is hoped that the vacated stores will be fully occupied during 1984.

Nye's Oil and Roland's Tire in North Fairhaven, expanded their facilities due to successful and continued operations. It is also hoped that the former Car World facility on Alden Road will be activated soon. Once again, all business facilities in Fairhaven are assuming an occupied and successful status.

Concerns about certain phases of Fairhaven's status continue. Removal of Doane Street property from a tax ratable entity by the State is becoming a reality. The process of continuing this operation bodes trouble, where the Town's total land area is only twelve square miles and where much is restricted from building through regulations and conditions.

Over one-third of Fairhaven's tax ratable property is tax exempt for various reasons and uses.

The stretched use of certain zoning regulations for the conversion of single family homes to three and sometimes as many as six dwelling units, without the benefit of Town meeting vote is questionable and should be given careful attention before it goes too far. This operation should have further controls before the process results in conditions being created that eventually lead to slum type areas.

A need also exists for more housing for the elderly and for other types of public housing. Many development items will not be implemented without being funded and most fundings of any sizable amount are not forthcoming unless housing requirements are met.

The elimination of the Bridge and Spring Street sewerage pumping stations, along with the necessary repiping for gravity flow systems in the effected areas, has been completed by Community Development funding of \$375,000. This also included drainage improvements in the waterfront and center districts. We now have Community Development funding of \$272,000 under the Job Fund section for a similar project with the Rotch Street sewer pumping station. For this phase, the Town also appropriated an additional \$145,000.

The elimination of these three pumping stations also resulted in curtailing long standing unhealthy sanitary conditions in those areas.

While these projects were being implemented, the Town was also cleaning out and taking care of circulation problems in miles of water lines at a cost of almost \$800,000, half of which was funded.

In analyzing the above projects (actually comprising a very minimal amount of the total facing the Town) it can be noted that the total cost will be tremendous, and without funding aid, hopeless. It can also be noted that what has been accomplished in 1983 in no manner helps those large areas of East and North Fairhaven, Sconticut Neck and West Island having sewer and potable water problems. These must be addressed and the time for doing so is becoming less and less, before mandatory orders are issued to do so.

Several waterfront entities have expressed their desire to expand or alter their facilities and require financial help to implement their projects. It was the Planner's intention to establish a Commercial Area Redevelopment District for this purpose. Much work has been done toward implementation. At this time, it is necessary for these facilities contemplating expansion to supply their project plans so the district can be established and its goals attained. It is hoped that in 1984 we can see this accomplished.

We would also like to see Union Wharf completed as a public facility under Town control and the Dana Farm area established for controlled water retention and conservation. Funding possibilities exist for projects of this type and will be pursued.

It is also hoped that the recommendations of the Town Property Disposal Committee will be carried out to a high degree. The Town cannot afford to keep buildings and building space in limbo, unstaffed, unprotected and subject to deterioration and vandalism.

Among the many duties of the Town Planner, that of Affirmative Action Officer has been added and at this time data is being organized for compliance.

Respectfully submitted,  
NICHOLAS TANGNEY, *Town Planner*



## FAIRHAVEN HOUSING AUTHORITY

The current Board of Commissioners of the Fairhaven Housing Authority are:

Chairman	Robert R. Norris 25 Garrison Street	Term Expires 1987
Vice Chairman	Walter J. Borowicz 4 Coggeshall Street	Term Expires 1985
Treasurer	John E. Keary 12 John Street	Term Expires 1988
Assistant Treasurer	Hazel Kidd 64 Howland Road	Term Expires 1984
State Appointee	Arnold Correia 22 Hedge Street	Term Expires 1985

The Fairhaven Housing Authority holds its regular meeting on the second Thursday of the month. The Annual Meeting of the Board is held on the second Thursday in May. At that time the election of officers for the coming year is held.

Presently, the Fairhaven Housing Authority is administering 255 units of Elderly and Handicapped housing. The developments are:

667-1	Green Meadows	40 Units	Completed in 1966
667-C	Green Meadows (addition)	52 Units	Completed in 1971
667-3	Oxford Terrace	108 Units	Completed in 1976
667-4	Dana Court	55 Units	Completed in 1982

These developments are financed by a grant issued from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which exercises general supervision over the Authority through the Executive Office of Communities and Development.

During the year there was a turn over of twenty-one (21) apartments. There were eight (8) deaths and thirteen (13) people went into nursing homes.



The criteria used for eligibility of applicants in the developments administered by the Housing Authority is the "Regulations for Eligibility in State-Aided Public Housing effective April 1, 1980."

The community rooms of these developments are being fully utilized by many Senior Groups. At Green Meadows the following groups and organizations use our facilities for meetings or functions:

Coastline Elderly Services, Inc.  
A.A.R.P.  
Muscular Dystrophy Group of  
Local Area  
East Fairhaven Seniors

Fairhaven Community  
Nurse  
Green Meadows Activity  
Club  
Green Meadows Seniors

At Oxford Terrace the following activities, meetings or services are held by these organizations:

Line Dancing  
Oxford Seniors  
Fairhaven Community Nurse  
Silver-Haired Legislators from  
Southeastern Massachusetts

Fairhaven Seniors  
Fairhaven Golden Agers  
Friends of Fairhaven  
Elderly  
Beano Parties — are held  
every Monday Afternoon  
and Friday Evening.

On April 27, 1983, an architectural contract was signed with Mace, Inc. of Norwell, Massachusetts to correct prior construction problems inherited by the Authority when Project 667-3, Oxford Terrace was being built. These corrections will be done through the Modernization Program with funds from our Operating Reserve Account.

Problems that exist and are to be corrected are:

1. Remove roof gravel from entire perimeter of the roofs.
2. Copper Scuppers have to be replaced.
3. Replace facial boards at all links and flash to prevent leaks.
4. Repair eave ends of Building B to prevent leaks.

To date, no final plans or specifications have been submitted. Hopefully this will be advertised and bid, and the work will be started in the spring of 1984.

On November 25, 1983, a letter was written in regard to rehabilitating a vacant school to house needy families under the Chapter 707 Program and an addition to house Elderly and Handicapped. We hope to have a favorable report on this matter.

The Fairhaven Housing Authority is locally managed by Stanley A. Wojcik, Executive Director and Urania M. Oliveira, Administrative Assistant.

Respectfully submitted,

STANLEY A. WOJCIK  
*Executive Director*

## TREE DEPARTMENT

During the year we took down 32 dead or damaged trees. We also removed 5 trees that had fallen into the street from private property.

Pruning and removing of dead wood was carried out and we continued to cut limbs off of privately owned trees that over hung fences, etc.; preventing the use of sidewalks and creating blind corners.

There are a number of trees that will have to be taken down this year due to road work and also due to the raising of sidewalks, curbs, retaining walls and cellar foundations. Then there are those that are dead or in poor condition.

A total of 20 new trees were planted in various areas of the town.

Spraying was carried out at numerous intervals which held down the threat of caterpillars and other insects. Poison Ivy was also sprayed. The Gypsy Moth threat was quickly exterminated by spraying at the proper time and with the proper method. The town remained very clean as far as these problems were concerned.

Although some of our equipment is becoming old and worn we are managing to keep it in working order doing most of the repairing ourselves; thereby holding down expenditures.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who helped me in any way during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

OMER BLANCHETTE  
*Tree Warden*

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

The drug smuggling problem that our Police Department inherited last year continued into 1983. During the evening of July 24th, a raiding party led by myself and our Detective Division boarded a fishing vessel named "Four of Us" which was tied up at one of the docks on our waterfront. The search of this vessel revealed sixteen tons of marijuana valued at approximately \$16,000,000.00.

Because of our geographic locale and the accessibility of docking facilities along our shoreline, I foresee that this drug problem will not disappear. We will continue, however, to keep right on top of it.

In 1983 we started a new program with financial assistance from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The "Driving While under the Influence" program, better known as the D.W.I. program was initiated after a grant from the Commonwealth in the amount of \$9,225.00. This money was used to pay for overtime wages of the officers that worked the program. The plan consisted of putting an additional patrol car on duty with two officers during the hours of 10:00 P.M. to 3:00 A.M. each week-end. The program covered twenty-six week-ends from April 1st through October 1st. This special unit made 529 vehicle stops issuing 343 motor vehicle citations and arrested nineteen drivers for drunk driving. All this was in addition to the patrols and arrests made by our regular shifts.

Because of the understanding and generosity of the Town Meeting members, we added three additional patrolmen and two Sergeants in an effort to curb our overtime while still giving the town more coverage. The Department is now up to full strength with six Sergeants plus twenty-five officers for a total of thirty-one full-time personnel.

All other special units in the Department such as the Detective Division, the Highway-Safety Division and the Emergency Medical Service Unit met with great success this year. This success was only accomplished through the great cooperation of our residents. The Uniform Division investigated 605 accidents, including three fatalities. Our Emergency Medical Service Unit answered 671 calls. In total, the Police Department answered 8,676 complaints.

Each year, the work-load increases and unfortunately I feel this trend will continue. We will, however, continue to come up with programs that will work towards a change in this thinking. You can be assured that our goal is to prevent problems and not just to solve them after they have occurred.

In closing, I would like to thank the members of the Fairhaven Police Department, the Police Departments of the surrounding communities, the Massachusetts State Police, the Office of the District Attorney, the Honorable Board of Selectmen, all the other town Boards and their employees for their continued cooperation and assistance in helping us accomplish our work. Particular emphasis and gratitude must be made to the citizens of the Town of Fairhaven for their support. On behalf of myself personally and the members of the Department, we are very grateful.

Professionalism and expertise in all phases of police work will continue by all members of the Fairhaven Police Department to show our pride in the Town of Fairhaven and its people.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER F. BARCELLOS  
*Chief of Police*

## FIRE ALARM

The Fire Alarm Division submits the following annual report to the Town of Fairhaven:

During the year 1983, we tested and reconditioned 50 fire alarm boxes. We are continuing to work with the Com Electric Company on pole changeovers.

The radio pagers are successfully serving the department and the Town of Fairhaven in getting a larger response to alarms.

This division installed both Fire Alarms and Radio Lines to the New Board of Public Works Building. A new master box was added to this location, Box 3212.

Respectfully submitted,

STANDISH L. SMITH  
*Superintendent of Fire Alarm*



## FIRE DEPARTMENT

During 1983 your Fire Department responded to 944 alarms and service calls. This is an increase of over 100 from the previous year.

Fees collected by the Fire Department amounted to \$3,370.00, almost double the year 1982.

One of the primary responsibilities of the Fire Department is Fire Prevention, and consideration should be given to the development of this section of the organization. Smoke Detector laws require more work on the part of the department, and additional manpower will have to be assigned to comply with the requirements.

Contracts have been signed for a new fire engine to replace the present Engine Two. Delivery of the new engine should be made early in the summer of 1984.

The balance of equipment is aging and requires more repairs. This is also true for the buildings occupied by the department.

Mutual aid was provided once to both New Bedford and Mattapoisett.

A successful Fire Marshal Program was established in the elementary schools in conjunction and in cooperation with local insurance agencies.

Our newest firefighter successfully completed the training program at the Massachusetts Fire Academy this year.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. CARPENTER  
*Acting Fire Chief*

for the

BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS  
EVERETT J. MACOMBER, JR.  
WALTER SILVEIRA  
ROBERT W. FOSTER

## FAIRHAVEN CONSERVATION COMMISSION

This year has not shown any great increase in lowland construction even with the lower mortgage interest rates. Regulated development by the Commission has taken place without any great difficulty. Some violations have occurred but have been corrected without the need of court action.



Of significance is the discovery that the Eastern boundary of the Nasketucket River Drainage Basin, the source of the town water supply, was not in accordance with the Gid Lab study and recommendations. The eastern boundary was found to be 1000 feet shy of the protective measures made in the report. This probably occurred because of Planning Board confusion with basin boundaries drawn by their former consultant. This mistake will be rectified at an upcoming town meeting.

The Atlas Tack Lagoon hazard still exists and it is doubtful after viewing estimated cleanup costs that the problem will be corrected in the near future. DEQE handling of the project has undermined the Commissions ability to obtain any satisfactory results. It is hoped that there will be some solution offered by the State Attorney General's Office now handling the matter.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHANNING W. HAYWARD  
*Chairman*

MARK HOWLAND  
*Vice Chairman*

STEVEN PACHECO  
*Secretary*

GEORGE SOUZA  
BRIAN YOUNG  
MARINUS VANDERPOL  
JOHN SYLVIA  
JOYCE CABRAL, *Clerk*

## FAIRHAVEN CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The following schedule summarizes the operations for the year ending December 31, 1983.

### INCOME

Balance on Hand 1/1/83	\$1,836,904.47	
Town Appropriation	540,659.57	
Housing Authority Appropriation	11,746.00	
Contribution of Members	153,548.36	
Interest Received	315,216.59	
Comm. of Mass. Pensions (COLA)	17,945.27	
Profit on Sales of Stock	156,329.80	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	12,924.09	
Federal Income Tax	<u>3,656.00</u>	\$3,048,930.15

### DISBURSEMENTS

Pensions and Annuities Paid	\$ 445,846.10	
Refunds	23,652.99	
Administrative Expenses	12,390.87	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	12,924.09	
Federal Income Tax	<u>3,656.00</u>	\$ 498,470.05
		<u>\$2,550,460.10</u>

### BALANCES

Cash	\$ 55,426.45
Fairhaven Institution for Savings	45,631.92
Securities	<u>2,449,401.73*</u>
	\$2,550,460.10

\* Does not include amortization for 1983.

# BOARD OF REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

January 1, 1983

Tabulations of information gathered in our Annual Town Canvas shows that the total population in the Town of Fairhaven is 15,779.

## Persons 17 Years and Over

Precinct	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Totals</u>
	1660	2127	2435	2037	2455	1738	12,452

## Persons Under 17 Years of Age

	<u>426</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>542</u>	<u>624</u>	<u>543</u>	<u>3,327</u>
Totals	2086	2619	3135	2579	3079	2281	15,779

The Voting List at the time of the Town Election April 1, 1983, broken down by precincts and party enrollment:

<u>Precincts</u>	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Republicans</u>	<u>Unenrolled</u>	<u>Total</u>
1	514	211	447	1,172
2	746	204	560	1,510
3	1,046	66	501	1,613
4	694	165	474	1,333
5	995	129	596	1,720
6	<u>634</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>473</u>	<u>1,190</u>
	4,629	858	3,051	8,538

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
BIRTHS									
174	156	160	138	141	164	143	136	139	150
MARRIAGES									
200	213	169	213	216	213	133	124	102	120
DEATHS									
219	182	187	210	200	200	196	206	216	208

Your Town Clerk, in addition to being custodian of Massachusetts Statute, Town By-Laws, rules and regulations of the Town, and the Town Seal, issues Marriage, Fish and Game, Auctioneer and Dog Licenses and Raffle and Bazaar Permits. The Town Clerk's Office also receives Parking Violations.

The administration of elections is another function of your Town Clerk, including the preparation and printing of all local ballots, the supervision of all elections, the reporting of all returns and the certification of all officials elected or appointed.

Any person may secure a certified copy of any record to which he is legally entitled by applying to this office.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH A. SALADINO  
*Town Clerk*

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

		Term Expires
Armand Becotte, Jr.	35 Hedge Street	1986
John Rogers, Jr., <i>Chairman</i>	13 Jarvis Avenue	1986
Louis H. Kruger, Jr.	123 Chestnut Street	1985
William R. Holt	34 Oxford Street	1985
Holly A. Ostneberg, <i>Vice-Chairman</i>	7 Middle Street	1984
Gilbert Vieira	20 Morton Street	1984

### Superintendent and Secretary to the School Committee and Staff

Lynwood P. Harriman, 14 Jarvis Avenue, Fairhaven  
Superintendent of Schools and Secretary to the School Committee

William J. Quinlan, 2 Hitching Post Road, Mattapoisett  
Special Needs Administrator

Andrew J. Martin, 12 Ridgcrest Avenue, Fairhaven  
Business Administrator

Carlton C. Albritton, 243 Perry Hill Road, Acushnet  
Principal, Fairhaven High School

John Losert, 10 Melanie Lane, Mattapoisett  
Principal, Hastings Jr. High School

Bernard Roderick, 10 Mill Road, Fairhaven  
Principal, East Fairhaven School

Jenny Xifaras, 594 Rockdale Avenue, New Bedford  
Principal, Oxford School

Paul Doherty, 756 South Street, Bridgewater  
Principal, Rogers School

Victor L. Brunette, 7 Brookview Street, Fairhaven  
Principal, Wood School

Wayne Wilson, 60 Ocean Avenue, Fairhaven  
Athletic Director and Health & Physical Education Director



Allen Duarte, 19 Majocka Drive, Westport  
Attendance Officer, Census Supervisor

Paul McCabe, Grand View Avenue, Mattapoisett  
High School Guidance Director

Antonio Santos, 48 Lantern Lane, Acushnet  
Music Director

Charles Foley, 102 Topham Street, New Bedford  
Instructional Media Director (Part-time)

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*Note: Personal appointments with the Superintendent and Administrative Staff Members may be made by calling 997-2971.*

## 1983-84 SCHOOL CALENDAR

	<u>No. of Weeks</u>	<u>Opening Date</u>	<u>Closing Date</u>	<u>No. of Days</u>
First Term	16	Wed., Sept. 7	Thurs., Dec. 22	72
Second Term	7	Tues., Jan. 3	Fri., Feb. 17	33
Third Term	7	Mon., Feb. 27	Fri., Apr. 13	35
Fourth Term	9	Mon., Apr. 23	Mon., June 25	45
	39			185

There will be no school on the following holidays which occur during the scheduled terms of the school year 1983-84:

Monday, October 10	—	Columbus Day
Friday, November 11	—	Veteran's Day
Thursday and Friday, November 24 and 25	—	Thanksgiving Recess from Noon, November 23
Monday, January 16	—	Martin Luther King Day
Monday, May 28	—	Memorial Day

*Note: Good Friday falls on April 20, which is during the April vacation. Schools may close earlier in June; elementary schools after the completion 900 hours and secondary schools after the completion of 990 hours.*

### NO SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENT

Schools will be held in the Junior High and Senior High Schools on all days regardless of weather conditions unless special announcement is made over radio stations WBSM, WNBH/WMYS-FM, WSAR or TV stations WLNE Channel 6 or WXNE Channel 25. Parents are urged to use their discretion in sending students to school when the weather is inclement.

It is the policy of the School Committee to cancel school only when severe weather or road conditions are such as to make transportation extremely hazardous or impassable with respect to Grades K-6.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND SUPERINTENDENT

In accordance with Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter 72 of the Massachusetts General Laws, we are pleased to submit herewith the annual report of the Fairhaven Public Schools for the fiscal year 1983.

The bulk of the information contained in this report deals with the 1983 fiscal year and the 1982-83 school year. The narrative information contained herein spans the last part of the 1983 fiscal year and the first part of the 1984 fiscal year, since the report is normally written in the month of January.

### INTRODUCTION

The fiscal restraints and limitations placed upon the public schools in Fairhaven, as well as other communities in Massachusetts and across this nation, have simply restrained and repressed the achievement of many of the progressive goals toward which we had formerly bent our best efforts. For over six (6) years now we have fought a losing battle to maintain the status quo with respect to our programs and methodologies until, at present, we are hard pressed to find sufficient areas to cut back funding without elimination of programs. In many areas we are spending less per pupil for textbooks and instructional supplies than we were spending six (6) years ago despite the fact that the costs of these materials have increased over 65% in the same period of time. Our equipment repairs and replacement have been so low that many of our elementary schools have poor or non-existent duplicating machines and reproduction equipment. This means that inadequate text materials cannot be compensated for by reproduction of teacher-developed materials as supplements.

One hears a great deal about the information age and/or the technological age into which society is moving with great rapidity. Yet our provision of computers and modern technology for the storage and retrieval of data and for the teaching of programming skills has, with only limited exceptions, been made available only through private sources or a limited Federal, non-categorical, block grant funds. These efforts, though welcome, have been inadequate, at best, and we have been required to limit access to more advanced science and math students at the senior high school level until very recently. We currently have nineteen (19) microcomputers throughout the entire school system. A properly developed program for senior high school students in a school system our size would require more than the capacity available in our entire system to meet the needs of the senior high school alone.

Typewriters and office machines are in a similar situation with some typewriters of a ten year old vintage. We still use a complete

classroom of manual typewriters for beginning students, even though few offices employ manual typewriters in actual business use. Stenographic recording equipment is far from "the state of the art". Bookkeeping equipment for use by business students is so outdated and difficult to keep in repair that it is now used seldom, if ever.

## PUBLIC INFORMATION AND COMMON PURPOSE

If one is asked, what holds us together as a community, state, nation, or, yes, even a school system? The answer is simply, "What we have in common." As our community becomes older and the proportion of our population of school age becomes smaller, the problems of education are of less importance to more and more of our community. An older population have no reason to be concerned with the problems of education, since their own educational needs have already been met and their children largely have been educated. More and more the response from Government to the service needs of people is to be found in the security issues of fire and police protection, in sanitary issues of fresh water, refuse and sewerage disposal. Even clean streets and well-paved roads are in a higher priority than a quality elementary and secondary education.

For those of us, who are concerned with providing educational services, for those parents whose children are being educated and for the business and industrial leaders, who expect to employ our young people in years to come, we must begin to realize that we have a great deal in common. We must form a coalition for the support of our own common purposes.

Even though our interests may be diverse, we must form a coalition of people to deal with common issues and common purposes, for the sake of supporting high quality education.

Who are those people that should share the concern? Business people should share the concern because their future employees and their future markets are in the schools today. Senior citizens should share the concern because they need to make sure that people are educated well enough to make the money needed to pay the social security and retirement taxes which are supporting their current retirement benefits. Government leaders should share a concern because they need to maintain a strong economy. Parents share the concern because they want their children to be successful. Educators should share all of these concerns.

Without any need for a commonality of motives, we share this mutual concern for the education of our children because it is a "sound investment for the future".



## NATIONAL IMPERATIVES

During the summer and early fall we have been reading about fourteen (14) national reports on education in America. The substance of the findings of these study commissions and foundations have indicated that our nation is threatened by a declining investment in our educational system. Our national security, our economy, and our nation's competitive position among the other countries of the world are at stake.

In response to these reports the Congress, the Legislature, the State Department of Education and even the School Committee and local educational leaders must be involved in exploring the issues and in getting education back on the national and community agendas.

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE PRIORITIES

As has been stated on these pages year after year, the single most important responsibility of the School Committee and the Superintendent is to provide for effective instruction of students. To these ends, if any single component in the school system must not suffer, the provision of instruction (primarily through teachers interacting with students) should have a priority over the repair of buildings and equipment. And thus it has been, when monies have been insufficient to meet all of the needs of the school system, the buildings and the equipment, including instructional equipment, have been allowed to deteriorate in order to support the highest priority objective, the effective instruction of students.

The School Committee, the Administrators and the teachers of Fairhaven are as committed as any to the provision of more effective schools, but we have been frustrated by State-imposed limitations on fiscal resources, by cut-backs in Federal funding, and by changing municipal priorities as reflected in a decreasing share of the available fiscal resources. The standards and quality of our educational system here, as elsewhere, are a reflection of what our society demands. When society demands and exhibits a willingness to pay these demands, schools will respond. In the past, when the public demanded more choices and a more relevant curriculum, the schools have responded. Now, as the public is calling for a return to higher standards, more rigidity and more discipline, our schools again will respond but in order to do so we must receive the support and encouragement of that coalition of people who share a concern for our social and economic well-being.

As the Commission on Excellence put it, "Knowledge, learning, information, and skilled intelligence are the new raw materials of international commerce and are today spreading throughout the



world as vigorously as miracle drugs, synthetic fertilizers, and blue jeans did earlier. Learning is the indispensable investment required for success in the 'information age' we are entering." Our citizenry needs to realize that those among us, who do not possess the levels of skill, literacy, and training essential to this new information era, will be effectively disenfranchised, not only from the monetary and material rewards which accompany usual competent performance but even from the chance to participate fully in our communal life. "A high level of shared education is essential to a free, democratic, society and to the fostering of our common culture."

## PROGRAMS

Again during the past year, our federal allocation under the Education Consolidation and Improvement Act (ECIA), Chapter 2, of \$21,746.00, was allocated primarily to support our commitment for the use of all available unrestricted funds for the acquisition of computers in order that we may better provide for the development of computer literacy and programming skills as a necessary survival skill for the future. The working lives of the majority of our students in schools today will be spent in the twenty-first century. To prepare our young people for a world requiring a more extensive technical knowledge we must increase not only our offerings, but our requirements in the mathematics, science and computer technology areas of instruction.

Our Chapter 2 funds this year have been used to provide microcomputers in the elementary schools and at the junior high school. These have been supplemented by microcomputer units provided by the parent-teacher organizations within the elementary schools. Over fifty (50) of our teachers have participated in one or more of the various training programs available in computer technology and formal student instruction is beginning this month in the elementary schools.

At the high school, 204 students graduated in June 1983. Scholarship grants and awards from local sources totalled over \$28,000.00.

New books and materials were added to our high school library in order to better meet the requirements of the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. At the present time a media center is being organized and set up in the library area.

During the summer and fall of 1983, a committee has been meeting to arrange and set up a new type of curriculum structure using a track system with four levels within each offering.

The Guidance Department reports that the overall scores on the College Board SAT's are showing an increase for those students who are currently attending four-year degree-granting institutions.

Within the graduating class of 1983, 63% made plans to attend some type of educational institution beyond high school level, 28% went into the job and work market; 7% entered one of the armed services.

The School Committee and staff are pleased with the restoration of the principal's office and are actively supporting the plans of the Fairhaven Alumni and Restoration Committee to restore and refurbish the Knipe Auditorium with funds to be provided by the Rogers Family Trust, the Massachusetts Historical Commission and funds raised by public subscription and other sources by the Alumni group.

The restoration of the Knipe Auditorium is expected to be completed by June of 1984.

At the Junior High School the majority of the students now have five (5) major subjects, along with a variety of minor subjects. Most students now utilize the full day for learning with less than 4% of their time spent in study halls.

In the ninth grade a computer course has been introduced and the school now provides computer instruction for all ninth grade students, who elect to receive it. The computer course was implemented without any increase in staff or any increase in local funding. Funding was provided by Chapter 2 and a great deal of credit should go to the six (6) junior high school teachers, who took a computer course at night and who worked on their own time after school and during the summer to develop the curriculum that will be in use. The course teaches computer operation and basic programming, and has proven to be a very popular course with the students.

Next year it is intended to add a computer awareness course for all eighth grade students. The intent of this course will be to bridge the gap between the computer offerings in the elementary schools and those provided at the ninth grade level and at the senior high school. This program could be offered within our present programmatic offerings and with the existing staff, for a very small initial cost. Another change being contemplated within the curriculum at the Junior High School, which will be effected with minimal budgetary expense, is the addition of a geography mini-course for all eighth grade students. Geography has been a neglected subject, not only in Fairhaven, but in all schools across the country. This new mini-course will provide students with a background in United States and world geography and will supplement the present eighth grade history course. This course would eliminate some study periods for eighth grade students and further utilize the school staff and the present school day for maximum learning potential. Although we would like to do more in this area, budget constraints severely limit our choices.

In all academic areas the junior high school is continuing to update and revise the curriculum, while also placing emphasis on basic skills, and remedial help for students. Along with the stress on reading, writing, and mathematics, our students take advantage of a number of elective subjects and extracurricular activities.

Another goal which was established during the past year has been to increase the parental involvement in the school. The junior high school has started a series of parent meetings, dealing with current educational and social issues. Our staff continues to place emphasis on parent conferences and we are constantly in touch with parents through telephone and written communication.

The students at Hastings Junior High School have shown dramatic increases in California Achievement Test scores over the past few years. Our students at all levels rank very high compared with national reference groups, and our continued emphasis on basics is reflected by high scores in these areas. The stability of a good teaching staff, along with reasonable class sizes, is a major factor in this increase.

We hope that the resources will enable us to continue to provide quality education and maintain the high standards which the Junior High School has strived to achieve.

A Junior Great Books program involving reading selections from outstanding works of literature from the past and present, that students find enjoyable to read and lend themselves to discussion, has been introduced in the Rogers and Wood Schools on a pilot basis. This program, organized by the Great Books Foundation, an independent non-profit educational organization, and used in schools across the nation, requires teachers using the Foundation's materials to receive training in a shared inquiry approach to reading and discussion.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATION AND SUPPORT SERVICES

In an effort to reduce our administrative and supervisory expenses, we have discontinued the office of the Assistant Superintendent which was formerly headed by Mr. Victor L. Brunette. Mr. Brunette has been reassigned as principal of the Leroy L. Wood School, and serves to coordinate the computer awareness and science programs within the elementary schools.

The major function of business and non-instructional operations which were formerly a part of the duties of the Superintendent have been assigned to the new position of Business Manager during the summer of 1983. Mr. Andrew J. Martin, a former town accountant, now serves as fiscal and operational comptroller as our new Business Manager.



Instructional programs and curriculum coordination, which were previously a responsibility of the Assistant Superintendent, have now been assumed by the Superintendent in place of the business and fiscal operations which formerly consumed so much time.

The various pupil services departments are also included as a part of the responsibilities of the Administrator of Special Needs who now serves as Administrator of Pupil Services. Among these programs, which are directed by Dr. William J. Quinlan, are the attendance, guidance and school health departments, in addition to his previous responsibilities for Special Needs.

The Supervisor of Attendance also serves in the Pupil Services department as a Guidance Counselor with responsibilities at Hastings Junior High School. Despite the shared staff time, the attendance office personnel are doing their best to provide appropriate services to our students. Mrs. Ruth Lombardo and Mrs. Judith Pasquill, nurses and the High School and Junior High School respectively, have greatly assisted in the performance of the duties of the Supervisor of Attendance.

A system-wide call policy has reduced the number of telephone calls and home visits previously made by the Attendance Supervisor. A great deal of cooperation has been received from parents, who call their child's school in order to report absences. This procedure provides for more accountability and has improved attendance. An even more important factor of the call-in policy is that it insures school personnel that the safety of a youngster, who is absent on a particular day, is not in jeopardy.

The High School attendance policy, which requires that a student attend a minimum of 160 days in order to receive course credits, has also improved attendance of pupils at Fairhaven High School.

The following are statistics from the report of the Supervisor of Attendance from September 7 to December 22, 1983:

Telephone calls made .....	800
Home visits .....	74
Students brought home .....	7
Written Attendance Notifications:	
High School .....	78
Junior High School .....	58
Elementary Schools .....	26
Formal parent conferences .....	12
Student probations .....	6
Court cases .....	3
Students returned to other communities .....	2
Verification of custody/domicile .....	9
S.R.S.T. meetings .....	11

The attendance of students in the Fairhaven Schools has always been sound. However, during the last several years we have had significant increase in the rate of student attendance. Last year's rate of approximately 94% and this year's rate of more than 95% for the first quarter of the 1983-84 school year are most impressive. The outstanding cooperation and support of students, parents, and all members of the school community has resulted in a superior rate of students' attendance in the Fairhaven Public Schools.

### SCHOOL NURSES

The school health department under the leadership of Judith Pasquill, R.N., have conducted the usual health screening programs. Four immunization clinics were held, one at each of the elementary schools. Scoliosis screening was done in grades five and nine and any problems were followed up through the school physician or the family pediatrician. Several School Resource Study Team meetings were scheduled each week and, in most instances, were attended by at least one school nurse. The home visit sections of every 766 Core Evaluation were provided by the nursing services.

All students in Kindergarten or first, fourth, seventh and tenth grade were given physical examinations by a school doctor or by their own family physicians. Every student participating in the schools' competitive sport programs were given physicals, prior to which the school nurses documented health history and took blood pressures.

School nurses also conducted hearing, vision and physical examinations for St. Joseph School as needed and provided home visits for 766 evaluations.

The school nurses work also with the Supervisor of Attendance to evaluate attendance problems and to make home visits where health evaluations are needed. Proper medical care is often suggested to parents by the nursing staff. Absences due to illness are evaluated and the school work is coordinated with the coordination of the nurses and the guidance personnel. In cases requiring home tutoring, all procedural reimbursement forms and evaluations are followed up and recovery is monitored by the school health personnel.

At the secondary level, both high school and junior high school nurses are following up on the sick call policy in cases of absence. Each parent is contacted at the home or place of employment if their youngsters are absent and they have failed to notify the school.

Nurses have continued to serve on the individual school safety committees and have had meetings and tours of the schools to observe any safety hazards and to assist in suggesting their elimination.



Nurses also serve as a vital part of the investigation team on child abuse cases where such situations are suspected. Health counselling is a large part of the nurses' school day and serves to increase school attendance by prevention of illness. The following is a summary of the work of the school nurses:

S.R.S.T. meetings .....	170
Students taken home .....	300
Routing screening physicals	
by Dr. Fazendeiro .....	67
766 physicals/Dr. Fazendeiro .....	4
Physicals by Dr. Lipstock .....	463
Home visits .....	34
766 Home Evaluation visits .....	32
Pre-school hearing and vision tests .....	113
Massachusetts hearing tests .....	2298
Massachusetts vision tests .....	1982
Scoliosis Screening .....	958
Accidents and Emergencies .....	81
Taken to hospital .....	4

Additional involvement with St. Joseph Parochial School:

Pre-school Vision and Hearing .....	33
Massachusetts hearing tests .....	238
Massachusetts vision tests .....	248
Physicals by Dr. Fazendeiro .....	27
766 Home visits .....	1

There are currently four (4) school nurses: Mrs. Judith Pasquill, R.N., Head Nurse assigned to Hastings Junior High School; Mrs. Ruth Lombardo, R.N., High School; Mrs. Diane Lopes, R.N., East Fairhaven and Wood Schools; Mrs. Aline Duval, R.N., Oxford and Rogers Schools.

SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAM

Special Education Services in the town were characterized by a leveling of student populations during the 1982-83 school year. With populations in the town shifting to accommodate the closing of two elementary schools, steps were taken to develop appropriate staff in the four remaining schools so that students could be properly served.

At the present time, two resource teachers provide services at the East Fairhaven, Oxford and Wood Elementary Schools while one teacher and a learning disability tutor are slotted for the Rogers School. In addition, two school adjustment counselors and two speech therapists are also responsible for providing services to all elementary students in the town.

The secondary level programs are also in the process of restructuring. Three resource room teachers are currently providing services to students at the Junior High School. One of these three teachers is funded with P.L. 94-142 monies that have been allocated to the town. A fourth resource teacher at the Junior High School provides a substantially separate program for students who require a full day program with very little integration into regular academic classes. Three aides also are assigned to the special needs program at the Junior High School which does serve the largest number of special needs students in the town.

At the Senior High School, a resource room teacher and two full time aides provide assistance to students. One of the aide salaries is paid with P.L. 94-142 funds. Steps were taken during the past year to relocate the resource room in a classroom in the High School addition. The new location has resulted in the development of new services and a more efficient use of the spaces and materials that can now be used properly in the new environment.

A total of 418 students were served by the Special Needs Department during the past year. This number compares with 382 students who were seen by Department personnel in the 1981-82 school year and 405 students who were enrolled in the program during 1980-81. While there are indications of some fluctuation between the enrollments of the last three years there is a tendency for the populations to remain within narrow limits. A total of 466 students were enrolled in special education programs during the 1979-80 school year and there is no indication at all that this figure will be approached again in the foreseeable future.

The current programs in the town will be able to provide most necessary services to special needs students. In selected cases, there is a need to provide programs for students who require more services than those that are offered in the local schools. In order to meet this need, the Special Needs Department has three major options to consider:

- a residential placement
- a day school placement
- a Collaborative placement.

Whenever possible, the department has opted to develop programs in conjunction with the Southeastern Massachusetts Collaborative which does provide programs for low incidence types of special needs problems which may require attention. One of the major programs currently in place at the Collaborative is the pre-school program which offers its services to students in the 3 to 7 year old category. During the 1982-83 school year, twelve students were served in this

program and some eight additional students were evaluated but not placed in the program.

The Collaborative also has a Behavior Management Program component which offers services to older elementary students who do require a structured remedial and therapeutic support environment.

Five students were enrolled in the program last year. There is also a Career Exploration component offered at the Burt School in Acushnet which offers students the chance to explore selected vocational activities in woodworking, marine industries, small engines and graphic arts. Most of these students also attend class at Hastings Junior High School and Fairhaven High School. The Collaborative options do enable the Special Needs Department to develop program services that can meet a number of demands that need to be met for selected students.

While day and residential placements are considered as options for students, attempts are made by the Special Needs Department to provide as many services as possible within the framework of the local school system. Each child is entitled to a "free and appropriate education" and steps are taken to meet this objective.

During the past year, steps were taken to decrease some of the fiscal burdens that have been placed on communities as State mandated programs were developed without adequate funding mechanisms. A state law was passed which now requires the Commonwealth to fund all transportation services for handicapped persons over the age of 22. The passage of this bill enabled the Special Needs Department to reduce the transportation budget by \$15,000.00. That line item will not be included in any future budget proposals.

The town also benefited from the continuing funds allocated for special education supplementary services under P.L. 94-142 and P.L. 89-313. During 1982-83, the Special Needs Department received \$68,460 in P.L. 94-152 funds and \$6,000 from the P.L. 89-313 allocation. The following programs were developed with these funds last year:

- a full time school psychologist program which is developed in conjunction with the town of Acushnet,
- a resource room teacher for Hastings Junior High School,
- two aides, one at Fairhaven High School full time and one in the elementary schools on a part-time basis,
- part of the salary of a part-time speech therapist,
- partial payments of Collaborative bills that were over and above the local appropriation.



These services helped to keep special needs expenditures within a reasonable level during the past year.

There are some areas of special needs service that will require attention in the future. During the past three years, steps have been taken during budget preparations to level fund allocations for Collaborative payments and for out-of-district private school placements. A modest increase in these allocations must be approved for the future if these important programs are to continue. It is also anticipated that federal funds for the next two years will tend to be lower. Consequently, steps will have to be taken to reduce some of the services currently supported with grant funds. It will also be necessary to consider the development of a program for elementary special needs students who require a substantially separate program. We are receiving a number of students from the Collaborative preschool program who will require more attention than a regular resource class. This type of program may require a restructuring of our current personnel assignments but hopefully will not require added personnel.

As has been stated in previous reports, the Special Needs Department has tried to maintain a fiscally responsible budget in spite of continuing increases. There have been minimal increases in staffing patterns and those that did take place were in the aide categories so that teachers could provide services to more students. We are hopeful that this pattern of level personnel allocations can continue next year and that the primary added costs to the program will be for increased costs for supplies, staff and other needed contracts.

One last item deserves attention in this report. While they often go unnoticed, special needs staff members do provide excellent services to many "special" children. The staff members willingly have developed home contacts, done evaluations and have tried to be as cooperative as possible with their fellow professionals. It is not an easy job and the work that has gone into individual Education Plan development and the related TEAM meetings does not go unnoticed by the Fairhaven School Department Administration.

## CONCLUSION

The School Committee and Administration sincerely appreciate the support and involvement of so many dedicated staff, parents and administrators during the past year. We sincerely hope that this brief summary of school department activities will meet with your approval and provide you with the information you need to aid you in your understanding of our purposes and programs. We sincerely will continue to do all in our power to prevent an erosion of services during these periods of depleted staff and materiel resources.

As usual we will do all in our power to maintain as much attention to individual problems as we can but we urge you to be patient when, in some cases, our response may be more limited than in the past due to depletion of available staffing, time and funding.

We would appreciate any constructive comments which you may wish to give us concerning how we may better serve you and/or utilize the monies that are available to us. Educational programs do cost money. 87% or better of our programs involve staff salary and/or staff time. As our funds become relatively lower in relation to the increasing labor and material costs, more and more there will be areas where it would seem that our priorities do not agree with narrower vested interests within the general public.

We sincerely urge everyone who has suggestions or criticisms to make them known to us. We will do all we can to respond to your suggestions and implement a course of action which will be as fair and impartial as possible.

We would sincerely like to express our appreciation to the staff and faculty, to the Town officials and Town department heads and others who have contributed to the continued success of our mission.

Respectfully submitted,  
FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE  
JOHN ROGERS, JR., *Chairman*  
HOLLY A. OSTNEBERG,  
*Vice-Chairman*  
ARMAND BECOTTE, JR.  
LOUIS H. KRUGER, JR  
WILLIAM R. HOLT  
GILBERT VIEIRA

By:  
LYNWOOD P. HARRIMAN  
*Superintendent of Schools*  
*Secretary to the School Committee*



# SPECIAL NEEDS ENROLLMENTS

## 1982-83 SCHOOL YEAR

	502.1	502.2	502.3	502.4	502.5	502.6	502.7	502.8	Totals
E. Fairhaven	52		11						63
Oxford	48		14	15					77
Rogers	53		12	3					68
Wood	56		12	3					71
J.H.S.	16		28	11					55
S.H.S.	17		14	6					37
Pre-School				10				2	12
Residential						4	1		5
Private Day					8				8
System Wide/ Collaborative				12			5		17
St. Joseph's (Speech)	5								
TOTALS	247		91	60	8	4	6	2	418

Prototype explanations:

- 501.1 — Regular classes with modifications
- 502.2 — Regular classes no more than 25% out
- 502.3 — Regular classes no more than 60% out
- 502.4 — Substantially separate program
- 502.5 — Day program outside of Fairhaven
- 502.6 — Residential program outside of Fairhaven
- 502.7 — Home tutoring for illness or injury
- 502.8 — Pre-School Program (3 and 4 year olds)

**EXPENDITURES**  
**FISCAL YEAR 1981-82, 1982-83**

	<u>Expended 1981-82</u>	<u>Expended 1982-83</u>
<b>SCHOOL COMMITTEE/ SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE</b>		
Salaries	97,998	105,870
Other Expenses	25,602	23,704
<b>INSTRUCTIONAL COSTS</b>		
Salaries	3,131,775	3,285,032
Books and Supplies	113,441	133,996
<b>HEALTH &amp; ATTENDANCE</b>		
Salaries	41,538	45,877
Other Expenses	3,560	2,858
<b>ATHLETIC AND STUDENT ACTIVITIES</b>		
Salaries	56,319	63,448
Other Expenses	27,032	31,032
<b>FOOD SERVICES</b>		
Salaries	14,068	16,097
Other Expenses	13,209	250
<b>OPERATIONS &amp; MAINTENANCE OF PLANT</b>		
Salaries	290,618	289,225
Supplies and Repairs	132,370	146,617
Fuel and Utilities	300,914	290,527
<b>FIXED CHARGES</b>		
Insurance and Rentals	2,873	1,781
<b>NEW EQUIPMENT &amp; EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT</b>	43,595	13,806
<b>BILINGUAL COSTS</b>	2,027	—
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	185,752	198,500
<b>TUITION TO OTHER DISTRICTS</b>	10,260	—
<b>SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAMS</b>		
Salaries	384,091	418,877
Supplies	12,003	16,954
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	70,321	73,562
<b>TUITION</b>	195,108	218,696
<b>TOTAL BUDGET EXPENDITURES</b>	5,154,474	5,376,709

	Expended <u>1981-82</u>	Expended <u>1982-83</u>
AVAILABLE FUNDS UTILIZED		
Total Appropriations	5,115,074	5,337,746
Trust Fund Income	<u>39,400</u>	<u>38,963</u>
	5,154,474	5,376,709
RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOLS		
Trust Funds	39,400	38,963
Dog Fund	<u>451</u>	<u>—</u>
	39,851	38,963
OTHER INCOME		
School Aid, Chapter 70	1,467,328	1,400,974
Transportation, Chapter 71	123,322	210,324
Tuition, State Wards	67,040	—
Aid to School Construction	24,644	11,565
Aid to Regional Schools	—	29,090
Aid to Food Services	<u>81,050</u>	<u>—</u>
	1,763,384	1,651,953

# ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL AND LEVEL OCTOBER 1, 1983

<u>School</u>	<u>Kinder- garten</u>	<u>Primary</u>	<u>Inter- mediate</u>	<u>Train- ables</u>	<u>Total</u>
E. Fairhaven	45	117	137		299
Oxford	29	121	142		292
Rogers	39	133	131		303
Wood	39	145	131		315
	152	516	541		1,209
	<u>Gr. 7</u>	<u>Gr. 8</u>	<u>Gr. 9</u>		
Hastings Jr. High	203	209	173	5	590
	<u>Gr. 10</u>	<u>Gr. 11</u>	<u>Gr. 12</u>		
Fairhaven High	193	202	214		609
Total Enrollment					2,408

## SUMMARY OF ENROLLMENT

<u>October</u>	<u>Kinder- garten</u>	<u>Elementary</u>	<u>Jr. High</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>Total</u>
1973	197	1637	870	741	3445
1974	184	1524	876	762	3346
1975	202	1396	867	799	3264
1976	179	1357	838	789	3163
1977	170	1286	766	728	2950
1978	166	1216	709	736	2827
1979	156	1162	688	671	2677
1980	171	1158	693	683	2705
1981	156	1119	645	665	2585
1982	142	1089	601	631	2463
1983	152	1057	590	609	2408

## TOTAL ENROLLMENT OCTOBER 1, 1983

<u>School</u>	<u>Grades</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>
Fairhaven High	10-12	Carlton C. Albritton	609
Hastings Jr. High	7-9	John A. Losert	590
East Fairhaven	K-6	Bernard Roderick	299
Oxford	K-6	Jenny Xifaras	292
Rogers	K-6	Paul Doherty	303
Wood	<u>K-6</u>	Victor L. Brunette	<u>315</u>
	K-12		2408

### SCHOOL ENTRANCE — MINIMUM AGE

The State Department of Education has established mandatory age for school attendance as follows:

Each child shall attend school beginning in September of the calendar year in which he/she attains the age of six. Therefore, all children between the ages of five years and nine months and six years and nine months on September 1st shall enroll in the public schools or an approved private school.

Children may attend kindergarten in September of the calendar year in which they attain the age of five. Kindergarten attendance is not compulsory.

### COMPULSORY SCHOOL AGE

All children must attend school between the ages of five years and nine months and sixteen years of age. Certain exceptions may be made by written permission of the Superintendent of Schools for children who have reached the age of fourteen and have completed the sixth grade.



## TOWN ELECTION — APRIL 4, 1983

	Pr. 1	Pr. 2	Pr. 3	Pr. 4	Pr. 5	Pr. 6	Total
<b>Town Clerk — Vote for One — For Three Years</b>							
Joseph A. Saladino, 85 Bridge St., Re-election	442	509	495	439	582	349	2816
Blanks	161	179	192	159	204	130	1025
<b>Totals</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>3841</b>

<b>Town Treasurer — Vote for One — For Three Years</b>							
Joseph A. Saladino, 85 Bridge St., Re-election	431	479	472	414	555	318	2669
Blanks	172	209	215	184	231	161	1172
<b>Totals</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>3841</b>

<b>Selectman — Vote for One — For Three Years</b>							
Robert W. Foster, 17 Cedar St.	322	418	356	273	346	226	1941
Dennis D. Gallant, 3 Jeannette St.	23	25	46	21	41	27	183
Judith A. Tonnessen, 23 Fort St.	251	238	268	293	379	213	1642
Blanks	7	7	17	11	20	13	75
<b>Totals</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>3841</b>

<b>Town Collector — Vote for One — For Three Years</b>							
A.S. Baranowski, 42 Harding Rd., Re-election	424	470	509	423	516	307	2649
Blanks	179	218	178	175	270	172	1192
<b>Totals</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>3841</b>

<b>Assessor — Vote for One — For Three Years</b>							
Harold "Bib" Nowell, 219 Sconticut Neck Rd.	299	352	350	312	459	252	2024
Roland N. Seguin, 28 Brook Drive	262	289	294	245	286	211	1587
Blanks	42	47	43	41	41	16	230
<b>Totals</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>3841</b>

	Pr. 1	Pr. 2	Pr. 3	Pr. 4	Pr. 5	Pr. 6	Total
<b>Assessor — Vote for One — For One Year</b>							
Julio Oliveira, 178 Cottonwood St.	162	194	247	188	333	194	1318
Jeanne C. Reedy, 48 Thompson St.	339	364	313	314	320	223	1873
Blanks	102	130	127	96	133	62	650
Totals	603	688	687	598	786	479	3841

**School Committee — Vote for Two — For Three Years**

John Rogers, Jr., 13 Jarvis Ave., Re-election	394	419	372	360	472	288	2305
Armand Becotte, Jr., 35 Hedge St.	294	350	395	305	390	268	2002
Blanks	518	607	607	531	710	402	3375
Totals	1206	1376	1374	1196	1572	958	7682

**School Committee — Vote for One — For Two Years**

Louis H. Kruger, Jr., 123 Chestnut St.	281	245	363	255	323	231	1698
H. Dante Vena, 241 Green St.	270	372	238	286	354	175	1695
Blanks	52	71	86	57	109	73	448
Totals	603	688	687	598	786	479	3841

**Board of Health — Vote for One — For Three Years**

George Walmsley, 78 Hedge St., Re-election	405	464	440	377	484	305	2475
Kevin S. McQuade, 34 Cherry St.	119	127	145	149	209	115	864
Blanks	79	97	102	72	93	59	502
Totals	603	688	687	598	786	479	3841

**Commissioner of Trust Funds — Vote for One — For Three Years**

Richard H. Carpenter, 55 Green St., Re-election	458	495	471	421	534	317	2696
Blanks	145	193	216	177	252	162	1145
Totals	603	688	687	598	786	479	3841

	Pr. 1	Pr. 2	Pr. 3	Pr. 4	Pr. 5	Pr. 6	Total
Planning Board — Vote for Two — For Four Years							
Raymond Fleurent, 4 Jeannette St., Re-election	382	429	425	387	521	337	2481
Albert Roderiques, 33 Marguerite St.	329	380	398	331	438	272	2158
Blanks	495	557	551	478	613	349	3043
Totals	1206	1376	1374	1196	1572	958	7682

#### Housing Authority — Vote for One — For Five Years

John E. Keary, 12 John St.	405	449	452	410	537	315	2568
Blanks	198	239	235	188	249	164	1273
Totals	603	688	687	598	786	479	3841

#### Board of Public Works — Vote for One — For Five Years

David Szeliga, 26 Prince St.	372	408	422	375	475	285	2337
Blanks	231	280	265	223	311	194	1504
Totals	603	688	687	598	786	479	3841

#### Board of Public Works — Vote for One — For One Year

Paul E. Francis, 9 Huttleston Ave.	409	451	454	424	517	329	2584
Blanks	194	237	233	174	269	150	1257
Totals	603	688	687	598	786	479	3841

#### Redevelopment Authority — Vote for Four — One for Four Years, One for Five Years, One for Two Years and One for One Year

Stephen Almeida, 6 Dover St.	284	337	352	292	360	224	1849
Channing W. Hayward, 19 Cottage St.	396	389	371	340	410	255	2161
Elizabeth Isherwood, 38 Pleasant St.	354	364	347	323	391	239	2018
Nicholas F. Tangney, 243 Green St.	343	407	360	338	428	274	2150
Blanks	1035	1255	1318	1099	1555	924	7186
Totals	2412	2752	2748	2392	3144	1916	15364

### TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

#### Precinct One — Vote for 21 — 20 for Three Years — 1 for Two Years

Carolyn F. Bennett, 53 Church Street (Re-election)	308
Roberta S. Braley, 5 Farmfield Street (Re-election)	328
Richard H. Carpenter, 55 Green Street (Re-election)	410
Irene Harding, 50 Church Street (Re-election)	314

Harold C. Holmes, 26 Laurel Street (Re-election)	453
Daryl Manchester, 9 Main Street (Re-election)	353
Anson W. Paine, 48 Cottage Street (Re-election)	291
Nancy A. Perry, 93 Fort Street (Re-election)	308
William W. Perry, 93 Fort Street (Re-election)	328
William H. Potter, 20 Fort Street (Re-election)	342
Jeanne C. Reedy, 48 Thompson Street (Re-election)	341
Anthony E. Rose, 49 Laurel Street (Re-election)	292
Bethany H. Sykes, 19 Coe Street (Re-election)	301
Judith A. Tonnessen, 23 Fort Street (Re-election)	353
Alden F. Trull, 15 Doane Street (Re-election)	331
Kenneth R. Vining, 41 Fort Street (Re-election)	364
Juliet A. Wilson, 92 Farmfield Street (Re-election)	266
Diane A. Gardner, 27 Main Street	253
Raymond A. Gardner, 27 Main Street	243
Susan Machado, 70 Cedar Street	228
Carole A. Mahaney, 57 Union Street	299
Gail A. Sylvia, 39 Walnut Street	229
Robert Wilkinson, Chestnut Street	1
Blanks	5727

Total	12663
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#### Precinct Two — Vote for 23 for Three Years

Joseph Cataldo, 69 Hedge Street (Re-election)	380
Roland J. Despres, 34 Bridge Street (Re-election)	277
Alfred L. Faria, 94 Huttleston Avenue (Re-election)	265
Beatrice M. Faunce, 119 Adams Street (Re-election)	279
Stephen L. Foster, 136 Adams Street (Re-election)	411
Dorothy E. Gammans, 169 Adams Street (Re-election)	316
John Haaland, Jr., 87 Francis Street (Re-election)	368
William R. Holt, 34 Oxford Street (Re-election)	347
Susan Joseph, 218 Main Street (Re-election)	341
Sandra LeBlanc, 17 Elm Avenue (Re-election)	303
John D. Moore, 36 Francis Street (Re-election)	324
Benson Morris Jr., 13 Cherry Street (Re-election)	324
Catherine E. Potter, 194 Main Street (Re-election)	303
William H. Potter, Jr., 194 Main Street (Re-election)	311
Dorothy Reid, 56 Elm Avenue (Re-election)	287
Anne D. Silveira, 55 Massasoit Avenue (Re-election)	400
David J. Medeiros, 249 Green Street	327
Mary Beth Medeiros, 249 Green Street	315
Patricia A. Nieman, 6 Jarvis Avenue	286
Blanks	9660

Total	15824
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#### Precinct Three — Vote for 29 — 28 for Three Years — 1 for One Year

Anita A. Alferes, 15 Manuel Street (Re-election)	320
Thomas M. Alferes, 15 Manuel Street (Re-election)	318
Jacintho Andrade, 20 Milton Street (Re-election)	266
Yvonne M. Cormier, 8 Morgan Street (Re-election)	284
John E. Ferro, 2 Manuel Street (Re-election)	291
Gladys Howcroft, 425 Main Street (Re-election)	278



Walter P. Jachna, 46 Spruce Street (Re-election)	284
J. Emile Lacoste, 266 Alden Road (Re-election)	270
John H. Medeiros, 72 E. Morgan Street (Re-election)	357
Donald J. Mello, 65 Brown Street (Re-election)	265
Geraldine C. Mello, 65 Brown Street (Re-election)	258
Kenneth G. Monteiro, 68 Howland Road (Re-election)	244
Paul F. Novak, 87 Coggeshall Street (Re-election)	291
Bradford H. Pittsley, 13 Winsor Street (Re-election)	244
David E. Rebello, 58 Maitland Street (Re-election)	298
Patricia E. Rebello, 58 Maitland Street (Re-election)	292
John Ace Roderiques, Jr., 128 E. Coggeshall Street (Re-election)	322
David A. Benoit, 54 Howland Road	282
Joyce A. Cabral, 6 Morgan Street	316
Ronald Freitas, 85 Coggeshall Street	239
Richard A. Pires, 71 Sycamore Street	302
Cynthia Remillard, 46 Veranda Avenue	257
Stanley Remillard, 46 Veranda Avenue	256
Joseph M. Vieira, 162 E. Coggeshall Street	290
Blanks	13099

Total 19923

**Precinct Four — Vote for 23 — 22 for Three Years — 1 for Two Years**

Helen G. Burke, 87 Pleasant Street (Re-election)	297
Maurice F. Burke, 87 Pleasant Street (Re-election)	298
Milton K. Delano, 51 Walnut Street (Re-election)	317
Timothy Francis, 61 Rotch Street (Re-election)	295
June Gowen, 5 Gifford Street (Re-election)	256
Delores B. Jarvis, 6 Rochambeau Street (Re-election)	268
Rita Joseph, 66 Delano Street (Re-election)	307
Pedro Monteiro, 130 Spring Street (Re-election)	278
Hector J. Robitaille, 143 Washington Street (Re-election)	286
Edward B. Spooner, 133 Laurel Street (Re-election)	279
John V. Sylvia, 84 Farmfield Street (Re-election)	280
Neal Ribeiro, 39 Rotch Street	250
Ruth Carle, 169 Washington Street	3
Blanks	10340

Total 13754

**Precinct Five — Vote for 27 — 26 for Three Years — 1 for Two Years**

Joseph Amaral, 46 Briarcliffe Road (Re-election)	301
Renato S. Barreto, 16 Brae Road (Re-election)	248
Monica Belliveau, 33 Winsegansett Avenue (Re-election)	293
Gerald J. Brecken, 142 Balsam Street (Re-election)	277
Phyllis F. Coppolino, 32 Calumet Street (Re-election)	260
Janice Girard, 44 Jerusalem Road (Re-election)	304
Pauline Y. Goyette, 200 Dogwood Street (Re-election)	332
Ronald Hansen, 13 Brae Road (Re-election)	291
Jacqueline Hobson, 4 Winsegansett Avenue (Re-election)	374
Robert D. Hobson, 4 Winsegansett Avenue (Re-election)	354
John E. Keary, 12 John Street (Re-election)	310
Eleanor J. Lopez, 7 Waybridge Road (Re-election)	241
Dianne W. Lyonnais, 46 Jerusalem Road (Re-election)	308



Michael A. Martin, 61 Seaview Avenue (Re-election)	311
Elmira D. McKenzie, 346 Sconticut Neck Road (Re-election)	390
Edward G. Morris, 46 Hathaway Street (Re-election)	277
Joseph Pauline, 125 Ebony Street (Re-election)	375
Adrien J. Rock, 154 Cottonwood Street (Re-election)	314
Laurence H. Solomon, 141 Dogwood Street (Re-election)	273
Muriel I. Strawn, 42 Causeway Road (Re-election)	301
William J. Tucker, Jr., 30 Yale Street (Re-election)	312
Georgette A. Clark, 194 Dogwood Street	284
Ronald Manzone, 350 Sconticut Neck Road	450
William B. Markey, 9 Day Street	333
Brenda J. Morris, 11 Moravia Avenue	268
Blanks	13441
Total	21222

#### Precinct Six — Vote for 19 — For Three Years

Barbara Barcellos, 4 Brookview Street (Re-election)	273
Jeannine F. Bennett, 17 Babbitt Street (Re-election)	205
Michael P. Bennett, 17 Babbitt Street (Re-election)	202
Manuel Correira, 24 Prince Street (Re-election)	208
Earl M. Faunce, 15 Hamlet Street (Re-election)	252
Dennis D. Gallant, 3 Jeannette Street (Re-election)	215
Carl W. Holstius, 404 Washington Street (Re-election)	193
Phyllis M. Holstius, 404 Washington Street (Re-election)	192
Virginia L. Lannan, 14 New Boston Road (Re-election)	187
Antone P. Lopes, 33 Brook Drive (Re-election)	241
Diane Lopes, 33 Brook Drive (Re-election)	236
Jeffrey W. Osuch, 26 Hill Street (Re-election)	260
Roger Picard, 22 Brook Drive (Re-election)	203
John F. Roderick, 79 Mill Road (Re-election)	220
Marilyn C. Sylvia, 16 Hill Street (Re-election)	195
Louis F. Vaudry, 20 Brook Drive (Re-election)	230
David M. Faunce, 15 Hamlet Street	221
David Szeliga, 26 Prince Street	197
Arthur E. Taber, 16 Brook Drive	217
Blanks	4954
Total	9101

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE RECOUNT

April 26, 1983

	Pr. 1	Pr. 2	Pr. 3	Pr. 4	Pr. 5	Pr. 6	Total
School Committee — Two Year Term							
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FAIRHAVEN ANNUAL TOWN MEETING  
SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1983

WALTER SILVEIRA AUDITORIUM —  
ELIZABETH I. HASTINGS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Meeting called to order at 9:00 A.M.

The National Anthem was played.

Invocation was given by the Rev. Robert Thayer from the  
Unitarian Memorial Church.

The Moderator introduced those seated on stage.

The Moderator stated that the warrant had been properly served  
and that a quorum was present.

The following Town Meeting Members were present:

Precinct One	47
Precinct Two	51
Precinct Three	42
Precinct Four	37
Precinct Five	43
Precinct Six	33
At-large	<u>9</u>
Total	262

Moved that the reading of the warrant and the return of service be  
omitted. Seconded.  
Voted.

Moved that the Moderator be relieved from reading each article  
in its entirety and that he be allowed to refer to articles by num-  
ber and title only. Seconded.  
Voted.

Moved that all the appropriations from this Town Meeting be  
placed in the tax levy for the fiscal year from July 1, 1983 thru  
June 30, 1984 unless otherwise specified. Seconded.  
Voted.

Moved to recess the Annual Town Meeting until completion of the  
Special Town Meeting called for in a warrant for 9:15 A.M. in this  
auditorium. Seconded.  
Voted.

## SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Moved that the reading of the warrant and return of service be omitted. Seconded.  
Voted.

Moved that the Moderator be relieved from reading each article in its entirety and that he refer to articles by number and title only.  
Seconded.  
Voted.

### ARTICLE 1 TOWN CHARGES

1. Police Department
  - a. Salaries & Wages  
Moved the sum of \$58,728.90. Seconded. (From Surplus Revenue)  
Voted.
  - b. Operating Expense  
Moved the sum of \$3,700.00 from Surplus Revenue.  
Seconded.  
Voted.
2. Police Department — Legal Expense  
Moved the sum of \$28,000.00 from Surplus Revenue.  
Seconded.  
Voted.
3. Town Hall — Operating Expense.  
Voted to pass over.
4. Town Insurance  
Voted to pass over.
5. Board of Public Works
  - a. Administration Operating Expense  
Moved the sum of \$600.00 by transferring \$600.00 from the Park Department Salary and Wage Account.  
Seconded.  
Voted.
  - b. Highway Department Operating Expense  
Moved the sum of \$16,150.00 by transferring \$5,100.00 from the Highway Department Salary and Wage Account, \$4,250.00 from the Park Department Salary & Wage Account and the sum of \$6,800.00 from the Sewer Department Salary and Wage Account. Seconded. Voted.

- c. Water Department Operating Expense  
Moved the sum of \$7,000.00 by transferring  
\$7,000.00 from the Water Department Salary &  
Wage Account.  
Seconded.  
Voted.
- d. Sewer Department Operating Expense  
Moved the sum of \$3,000.00 by transferring  
\$3,000.00 from the Sewer Department Salary &  
Wage Account.  
Seconded.  
Voted.

## **ARTICLE 2          UNION WHARF BUILDING**

Moved the sum of \$20,000.00 from Surplus Revenue in addition to the funds voted under Section d. of Article 4 of the October 7, 1982 Special Town Meeting to construct a building on Union Wharf with sanitary facilities and wharfinger office space. Seconded.  
Voted the sum of \$20,000.00.

## **ARTICLE 3          ZONING CHANGE**

Moved to change from Single Family District (RA) to Apartment District (RC) property described as Lot 18 on Plat 26, Assessors Plan, Town of Fairhaven. Seconded.  
Moved to indefinitely postpone. Seconded.  
Voted indefinite postponement.

## **ARTICLE 4          BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT**

Moved to authorize the Board of Public Works of the Town of Fairhaven to petition the General Court of the Comm. of Mass. to amend the provisions of Chapter 722 of the Acts of 1968, as amended to add Section 5 to appoint and fix the compensation of the Superintendent etc. Seconded.  
Moved to indefinitely postpone. Seconded.  
Voted indefinite postponement.

## **ARTICLE 5          SMALL CITIES BLOCK GRANT**

Moved to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept and expend any monies allotted to the Town of Fairhaven under the Mass.



Small Cities Block Grant Program as authorized by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. Elements for which funding has been requested include the following, revolving loans for business and housing rehabilitation, sidewalk and parking improvements, architectural planning and design services; all within the center village waterfront areas. These may be expanded to include other elements as conditions warrant and presented at Town Meeting as included in the application for \$1,400,000.00 over a two year period. Seconded.

Voted adoption.

## ARTICLE 6       SEWER CONSTRUCTION                     EASEMENT

Moved the sum of \$1.00 and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain, acquire by purchase, gift, or in any other manner acquire all or part of the following described property or any easement or interest therein, upon such terms and conditions as the Board of Selectmen deem advisable, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a Sewer line from Harvard Street to the Malcolm Cummings Senior Citizen building at 150 Sconticut Neck Road, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose; the owner having an interest in said land and the description thereof follows:

Beginning in the northerly line of Harvard Street at the southeasterly corner of land of this grantor; thence North  $62^{\circ} 38' 30''$  West by the northerly line of the said Harvard Street 12.00 feet; thence North  $27^{\circ} 21' 30''$  East 90.84 feet; thence North  $2^{\circ} 38' 30''$  West 126.05 feet to the southerly line of Yale Street; thence South  $62^{\circ} 38' 30''$  East by the southerly line of the said Yale Street 13.86 feet; thence South  $2^{\circ} 38' 30''$  East 122.34 feet to the westerly line of land now or formerly of Paul A. and Sandra R. Schroeder; thence South  $27^{\circ} 21' 30''$  West by the said last named land 94.05 feet to the point of beginning. The above-described easement being shown on a plan entitled "Plan Showing Proposed Sewer Easement in Fairhaven, Mass., prepared for the Town of Fairhaven, April 11, 1983, Arthur C. Thompson, Inc., Engineers & Surveyors, Marion, Mass.," said sum to be transferred from Surplus Revenue. Seconded.

Voted adoption and the sum of \$1.00.

Moved to adjourn the Special Town Meeting. Seconded.

Voted to adjourn sine die.

Moved to reconvene the Regular Town Meeting. Seconded.

Voted.



Regular Town Meeting called to order.

## **ARTICLE 1      MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK**

Moved to instruct the Selectmen to appoint the Measurer of Wood and Bark. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 2      TOWN REPORT**

Moved to receive the report of the Town Officers. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 3      TO AMEND THE PERSONNEL BY-LAWS INCLUDING CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN**

Moved the following amendments:

### **AMENDMENTS TO PERSONNEL BY-LAW AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN**

## **ARTICLE 3.**

To see if the town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law including Classification and Compensation Plans set forth in Article 74 of the 1970 Town Meeting and in Article 3 of the 1971 Town Meeting Warrants and amendments thereto as follows:

### **SECTION 2:**

Paragraph beginning "Compensation Level" — delete "F" and insert "E" in its place.

Paragraph beginning "Compensation Plan" — delete the words "and F" and insert word "and" between "D" and "E".

Paragraph beginning "Full-time Employment" — delete "six and one-half hours" and insert "seven hours" in its place.

Paragraph beginning "Regular Part-time Employment" — delete "thirty-two and one-half hours per week" and insert "thirty-five hours per week" in its place.

Paragraph beginning "Promotions" — delete the word "class" in second and fifth lines and insert the words "classification" in both places.

### **SECTION 3:      PERSONNEL BOARD**

Delete "C" and replace with the following:

(c) Each term of office shall be for three (3) years at the end of which time the term expires but may be renewed by the appointing body.

(q) Paragraph beginning: Each department — delete “personnel services” and insert “personal services” in its place.

#### SECTION 5: COMPENSATION PLAN

(a) Delete “and F” in third sentence and insert word “and” between “D” and “E”.

Delete “If no range is provided, the single rate appearing in Schedule F shall be the basis of compensation paid to an employee occupying a position under the appropriate job title.”

(e) Paragraph beginning “An employee” — delete “Schedules B, C, D, F or certain levels of Schedule E”.

Insert: “Schedules A, E, and certain levels of Schedules C and D”.

Delete: “class” in second line. Insert: “classification”

(f) Delete: “If the resulting adjustment does not equal \$10.00 for a position level assigned to Schedule B or \$.05 per hour for a position level assigned to Schedule C the adjustment shall be to the second rate above the existing rate but within the compensation level of the vacant or new position.”

Insert new Section 5. (1)

When an employee is required to substitute in the capacity of special, Fire Chief Acting or special, Police Chief Acting, he shall be compensated at a rate of fifty percent of the difference between the individual’s compensation level and the highest step of the compensation level of the individual he replaces or 1.5 times the salary of the maximum patrolman’s salary in the case of the Police Department or 1.5 times the salary of the maximum private’s salary in the case of the Fire Department, whichever is the greater.

#### SECTION 7: POSITION CLASSES SALARY WAGE AND MISCELLANEOUS

##### Compensation Schedules

Delete “SCHEDULE B: General Weekly Salary Schedule”

Delete “SCHEDULE C: Hourly Wage Schedule::

Insert: “SCHEDULE B: Hourly Wage Schedule::

Delete “SCHEDULE D: Fire Department Schedule”

Insert: “SCHEDULE C: Fire Department Schedule”

Delete: “SCHEDULE E: Police Department Salary Schedule”

Insert: “SCHEDULE D: Police Department Salary Schedule”

Delete: “SCHEDULE F: Miscellaneous Salary Schedule”

Insert: “SCHEDULE E: Miscellaneous Salary Schedule”

#### SCHEDULE A

Series	Job Title	Compensation	Level
EXECUTIVE GROUP			
	Fire Chief	Special	
	Fire Chief: Acting	Special	
	Fire Chief: (Provisional)	Special	16
	Highway Division Superintendent	Special	Ch. 722
			Acts of 1968

# SCHEDULE A — Continued

	Police Chief	Special	
	Police Chief: Acting	Special	
	Police Lieutenant	Special	15
	Public Works Superintendent	Special	Ch. 722
			Acts of 1968
	Sewer Division Superintendent		17
	Treatment Plant Operator	Class 5	11
	Water Division Superintendent		17
	Director of Council on Aging		11
Amend.	Asst. Water Division Superintendent		12

## ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP

	Community Planner	14
	Sanitarian	11
	Town Accountant	13
	Executive Secretary	11
	Building Commissioner	12
	Shellfish Warden/Wharfinger/Harbormaster	10
	Assistant Town Clerk and Treasurer	10

## PROFESSIONAL GROUP

### POLICE SERIES

	Police Officer — Intermittent	P-B (1)
	Police Officer	
	Police Sergeant	
	Traffic Supervisor	P-A (1)

### FIRE FIGHTING AND PREVENTION SERIES

	Fire Fighter	F-1
	Fire Lieutenant	F-4
	Fire Captain	F-5
	Call Fire Fighter	F-A-1
	Call Fire Lieutenant	F-B-1
	Call Fire Captain	F-C-1
	Underwater Scuba Diver	Schedule E
	Fire Alarm Lineman	Schedule E
	Fire Alarm Groundsman	Schedule E

## LABOR AND MAINTENANCE GROUP

	Laborer (Seasonal)	A
	Laborer (All Departments)	3
	Junior Building Custodian	1
	Building Custodian — Police Dept.	4 20. hrs./week
	Building Custodian — Bus Driver	4
	Skilled Laborer	4
	Water System Maintenance	*
	Craftsman and Backhoe Operator	
	Working Foreman Water System	*
	Maintenance Craftsman	
	Highway Maintenance Man	*
	Working Foreman Highway	*
	Maintenance Man and Working	
	Mechanic Foreman	*

\*Per contract Highway and Water Departments

## SCHEDULE A — Continued

Park Maintenance Craftsman	6	
Dump Caretaker	*	
Water Machinery and Meter Repair and Installation Craftsman	*	
Sewer Maintenance Craftsman	7	
Sewer Treatment Plant Operator Foreman	9	(Class 3)
Sewer Treatment Plant Operator Foreman	11	(Class 5)
Sewer Custodian and Watchman	5	
Senior Building Custodian	5	
Laboratory Technician	8	
Heavy Motor Equipment Operator	*	
Special Motor Equipment Operator	*	
Motor Equipment Maintenance Man	*	
Motor Equipment Repairman	*	

\*Per contract Highway and Water Departments

## ELECTION SERVICES

Election Clerk	A
Election Warden	A
Election Worker	A
Registrars	5
Election Supervisor	1
Voting Machine Set-up	A
Assistant Voting Machine Set-up	A
Census Taker	A
Census Supervisor	1

## CLERICAL AND OFFICE SERVICES GROUP

Clerk	3
Senior Clerk	5
Principal Clerk	7
Head Clerk	9
Assistant Veterans' Agent	7
Retirement Board Accounting Clerk	7

## SOCIAL SCIENCE GROUP

Recreation Director	5
Recreation Supervisor	1
Gymnastic Instructor	4
Recreation Leader	3
Assistant Recreation Leader	A
Life Guard	2
Official Referee Per Game	Schedule E
Head Life Guard	4
Gate Attendant	A
Adult Supervisor — Nightly Rate	Schedule E

## MISCELLANEOUS GROUPS

Gas and Plumbing Inspector	Schedule E
Wire Inspector	Schedule E

# SCHEDULE A — Continued

Associate Wire Inspector	Schedule E
Deputy Shellfish Warden	A
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Schedule E
Assistant Superintendent Fire Alarm	Schedule E
Moth Superintendent	Schedule E
Director of Civil Defense	Schedule E
Animal Officer	8
Board Secretary	A

## SCHEDULE B NON-EXEMPT LEVELS July 1, 1983

Compensation Level	Minimum				Maximum	
	1	2	3	4	5	
A	\$ 3.48	\$ 3.62	\$ 3.77	\$ 3.92	\$ 4.08	
1.	4.01	4.17	4.34	4.52	4.70	
2	4.25	4.42	4.60	4.78	4.97	
3	4.51	4.69	4.88	5.08	5.28	
4	4.78	4.98	5.17	5.38	5.60	
5	5.06	5.27	5.48	5.70	5.93	
6	5.38	5.59	5.82	6.05	6.29	
7	5.70	5.93	6.16	6.41	6.67	
8	6.04	6.28	6.54	6.80	7.07	
9	6.41	6.66	6.93	7.21	7.50	
10	6.79	7.06	7.35	7.64	7.95	
11	7.20	7.48	7.78	8.10	8.42	
12	7.63	7.94	8.26	8.59	8.93	
13	8.09	8.41	8.75	9.10	9.46	
14	8.57	8.91	9.27	9.64	10.03	
15	9.09	9.45	9.83	10.22	10.63	
16	9.63	10.02	10.42	10.83	11.26	
17	10.21	10.62	11.05	11.49	11.95	

## SCHEDULE C FIRE DEPARTMENT July 1983 — June 1984

Compensation Level	Minimum			Maximum	
	1	2	3	4	
F-A 1	\$ 4.50	\$ 5.00	After first year		
F-B 1				\$ 5.50	
F-C 1				6.00	
F-1 2	279.17	284.41	293.43	302.44	
F-2 2	284.41	293.43	302.44	312.76	
F-3 2			312.76	323.06	
F-4 2			323.06	337.23	



# SCHEDULE C — Continued

Compensation Level	Minimum		Maximum	
	1	2	3	4
F-5 2			\$344.96	\$352.68
F-6 2			362.36	372.00

1. Hourly Rate
2. Weekly Rate (Union Contract)
3. Special Fire Chief — 1.8 times the maximum rate of a firefighter.
4. Special Acting Fire Chief — 1.5 times the maximum rate of a firefighter or Section 5: (1).
5. Provisional Fire Chief Level 16.

## SCHEDULE D POLICE DEPARTMENT 40 Hour Work Period July 1983 — June 1984

Compensation Level	Minimum		Maximum	
	1	2	3	4
P-A 1	\$ 4.17	\$ 4.34	\$ 4.52	\$ 4.70
P-B 1				7.07
P-1 2	273.99	287.37	300.75	314.14
P-2 2	287.37	300.75	314.14	327.51
P-3 2			327.51	343.58
P-4 2			343.58	362.31

1. Hourly Rate.
2. Weekly Rate (Union Contract)
3. Special Police Chief — 1.8 times maximum rate of a patrolman.
4. Special Acting Police Chief — 1.5 times the maximum rate of a patrolman or Section: 5 (1).
5. Special Police Lieutenant — Level 15.

## SCHEDULE E TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN July 1983 — June 1984

Official Referee	\$ 6.00 per game
Adult Program Supervisor	\$ 5.30 nightly rate

	Yearly Rate
Moth Superintendent	\$ 750.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	2,400.00
Director of Civil Defense	650.00

## SCHEDULE E — Continued

	Per Inspection
Gas and Plumbing Inspector	\$ 10.92
Wire Inspector	10.92
Associate Wire Inspector	7.10

	Hourly Rate
Fire Alarm Lineman	\$ 4.50
Fire Alarm Groundsman	3.75
Underwater Scuba Diver. While Diving	5.00

Assistant Superintendent Fire Alarm	\$600.00 quarterly - \$2,400 yearly
System Grading Licenses	\$100.00 per year — per grade

Delete: Schedule G in its entirety and replace with the following:

### SECTION 8: INTERNAL LONGEVITY

TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN			
YEARS			
10	15	20	25
\$150.00	\$200.00	\$350.00	\$475.00

Longevity payments shall be made to regular full-time employees according to the above schedule and a proportionate payment made to permanent part-time employees. Payment of longevity pay shall be made on the first payday in December. To be eligible, an employee must have completed his/her continuous length of service before December 1.

Change Section 8 to:

### SECTION 9: WORK WEEK

Delete: "Compensation Level S-1 through S-9 32.5 hours week"

Insert: "Compensation Level A through 9-35 hours week"  
(Clerical and Office Services Group)

Labor and Maintenance Group  
Level A-9 40 hours week  
All Other Groups — as required (b)

Delete: "Compensation Level S-10 through S-20 as required week (a)"

Insert: "Compensation Level 10 through 17 as required week (a)"

Delete: Schedule B, 40 hour positions 40.0 hours week

Delete: Schedule C 40.0 hours week

Delete: Schedule D per contract

Insert: Schedule C per contract

Delete: Schedule E per contract

Insert: Schedule D per contract

## **SECTION 9: WORK WEEK — Continued**

Delete: Schedule F as required (b)

Insert: Schedule E as required (b)

(b) Delete: "For compensation purposes, this shall mean (40) hours."

(c) Delete: "per agreement".

Change Section 9 to

## **SECTION 10: OVERTIME COMPENSATION**

Delete: "thirty-two and one-half"

Insert: "thirty-five"

Change Section 10 to:

## **SECTION 11: PAID HOLIDAYS**

(b) Insert as last sentence the following:

"Approximately one-half day off, or compensatory time off, day before Christmas and day before New Year's Day."

(d) Delete: ". . with the approval of the Personnel Board".

Change Section 11 to:

## **SECTION 12: VACATION LEAVE**

(3) Delete: "After 20 years, an employee will receive four weeks vacation."

Insert: "After 10 full years, an employee will receive four weeks vacation. After 20 full years an employee will receive five weeks vacation."

Change Section 12 to:

## **SECTION 13: SICK LEAVE**

(c) (1) Delete: "(c)" Insert (I) in parenthesis

(c) (2) Delete: "ninety (90)"

Insert: "one hundred twenty (120)"

(c) (3) Delete: "ninety (90)"

Insert: "one hundred twenty (120)"

(c) (4) Delete: "ninety (90)"

Insert: "one hundred twenty (120)"

Delete: "forty-five (45)"

Insert: "sixty (60)"

## **SECTION 15: OTHER LEAVE**

(a) Delete: "Absences for personal reasons may be charged to vacation leave upon application by the employee and approval by his department head. Such absences, however, may not be charged to vacation leave beyond that which the employee has earned by the time of such application."

SECTION 15: OTHER LEAVE — Continued

- (a) Insert: (a) Personal Emergencies  
One day per year not be charged to sick time.  
Two days to be charged to sick time.  
Days must be schedule at least three days in advance and approved by the Department Head. No less than one-half days may be taken at any one time.

Seconded.

Voted adoption unanimously as amended.

ARTICLE 4        TO FIX THE COMPENSATION OF  
                     THE TOWN'S ELECTED OFFICALS  
                     TO BE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1983

A.	Board of Selectmen (3 members)	\$ 6,933.90
B.	Town Clerk	9,265.46
C.	Town Treasurer	10,858.28
D.	Town Collector	14,300.00
E.	Board of Assessors (3 members)	34,703.04
F.	Moderator	290.67
G.	Tree Warden	1,529.26
H.	Board of Health (3 members)	1,767.33

Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 5    TOWN CHARGES

Moved the following:

1.	Assessors Salaries	\$ 34,703.04
2.	Assessors Office Expense	
	a. Salaries and Wages	17,137.26
	b. Operating Expense	18,793.00
3.	Board of Appeals	
	a. Salaries and Wages	450.00
	b. Operating Expense	442.00
4.	Board of Health Salaries	1,767.33
5.	Board of Health, Maintenance and Administration	
	a. Salaries and Wages	28,737.04
	b. Operating Expense	21,007.00
6.	Board of Public Works	
	1. Administration	
	a. Salaries and Wages	42,754.58
	b. Operating Expense	2,102.00

6.	Board of Public Works — Continued			
	1. Administration			
	c. Capital Outlay	\$	1.00	
	d. Out-of-State Travel		1.00	
	2. Highway Division			
	a. Salaries and Wages		336,942.84	
	b. Operating Expense		123,250.00	
	c. Capital Outlay		150,000.00	
	d. Out-of-State Travel		1.00	
	3. Park Division			
	a. Salaries and Wages		26,311.64	
	b. Operating Expense		6,887.00	
	c. Capital Outlay		4,000.00	Revenue Sharing
	4. Sewer Division			
	a. Salaries and Wages		211,928.03	
	b. Operating Expense		238,196.00	
	c. Capital Outlay		1.00	
	d. Out-of-State Travel		1.00	
	5. Water Division			
	a. Salaries and Wages		179,107.18	
	b. Operating Expense		161,600.00	
	c. Capital Outlay		8,000.00	Revenue Sharing
	d. Water Purchase		20,000.00	
7.	Building Department			
	a. Salaries and Wages		36,787.27	
	b. Operating Expense		2,150.00	
	c. Capital Outlay		500.00	Revenue Sharing
8.	Care of Dogs and Other Animals			
	a. Salaries and Wages		12,611.52	
	b. Operating Expense		5,835.00	
9.	Civil Defense			
	a. Salaries and Wages		2,057.12	
	b. Operating Expense		7,501.00	
	c. Capital Outlay		135.00	
10.	Conservation Commission			
	a. Salaries and Wages		350.00	
	b. Operating Expense		225.00	
11.	Contributory Retirement		401,458.14	
12.	Council on Aging			
	a. Salaries and Wages		25,336.64	
	b. Operating Expense		8,040.00	Revenue Sharing
	c. Capital Outlay		400.00	Revenue Sharing
13.	Dutch Elm Disease			
	a. Salaries and Wages		4,000.00	



13.	Dutch Elm Disease — Continued		
	b. Operating Expense	\$ 2,300.00	
14.	Election and Registration		
	a. Salaries and Wages	16,574.40	
	b. Operating Expense	5,442.00	
15.	Engineering	5,000.00	
16.	Fire Alarm Maintenance		
	a. Salaries and Wages	12,696.00	
	b. Operating Expense	2,750.00	
17.	Fire Department		
	a. Salaries and Wages	395,359.25	
	b. Operating Expense	39,050.00	
	c. Capital Outlay	93,500.00	Revenue Sharing
18.	Group Insurance	306,250.00	
19.	Hurricane Barrier Assessment	14,500.00	
20.	Insect and Pest Control		
	a. Salaries and Wages	4,470.00	
	b. Operating Expense	2,080.00	
21.	Interest on Revenue Loans	20,000.00	
22.	Legal Expense	40,000.00	
23.	Memorial Day	1,200.00	
24.	Moderator's Salary	290.67	
25.	Mosquito Control Ch. 112/1931	5,500.00	
26.	Municipal Debt	695,000.00	
27.	Municipal Interest	392,943.75	
28.	Non-Contributory Pension	7,141.10	
29.	Personnel Board		
	a. Salaries and Wages	990.00	
	b. Operating Expense	735.00	
	c. Capital Outlay	600.00	
30.	Planning Board		
	a. Salaries and Wages	800.00	
	b. Operating Expense	2,975.00	
31.	Police Department		
	a. Salaries and Wages	607,083.49	
	b. Operating Expense	68,746.00	
	c. Capital Outlay	25,000.00	Revenue Sharing
		8,650.40	Police Car Ins.
		574.60	Levy
	d. Out-of-State Travel	1.00	
32.	Recreation Commission		
	a. Salaries and Wages	18,000.00	
	b. Operating Expense	3,110.00	

33.	Reserve Fund	12,331.72	Overlay Reserve
		87,668.28	Levy
34.	Schools	5,655,769.00	
		33,000.00	H.S. Trust
		6,400.00	E.S. Trust
35.	Greater N.B. Reg. Voke	162,319.00	
36.	Sealer of Weights & Measurers		
	a. Salaries and Wages	2,400.00	
	b. Operating Expense	775.00	
37.	Selectmen's Salaries	6,933.90	
38.	Selectmen's Office Expense	5,500.00	Civil Serv. Acct.
	a. Salaries and Wages	54,992.32	Levy
	b. Operating Expense	3,813.50	
	c. Capital Outlay	1.00	
	d. Out-of-State Travel	1.00	
	e. Revenue Sharing Adm.	250.00	Revenue Sharing
39.	Shellfish Inspection- Wharfinger and Harbormaster		
	a. Salaries and Wages	16,491.28	
	b. Operating Expense	3,525.00	
	c. Capital Outlay	400.00	
40.	Street Lighting	113,000.00	
41.	Tax Title Expense	6,500.00	
42.	Town Accountant		
	a. Salaries and Wages	16,982.20	
	b. Operating Expense	1,045.00	
43.	Town Clerk's Salary	9,265.46	
44.	Town Clerk's Office Expense		
	a. Salaries and Wages	19,027.69	
	b. Operating Expense	2,410.00	
45.	Town Collector's Salary	14,300.00	
46.	Town Collector's Office Expense		
	a. Salaries and Wages	32,410.98	
	b. Operating Expense	9,930.00	
47.	Town Hall		
	a. Salaries and Wages	12,101.60	
	b. Operating Expense	20,648.00	
48.	Town Insurance	195,060.00	
49.	Town Meeting Expense		
	a. Salaries and Wages	700.00	
	b. Operating Expense	3,250.00	
	Finance Committee		
	a. Salaries and Wages	750.00	
	b. Operating Expense	1,480.00	
50.	Town Report	5,000.00	

51.	Treasurer's Salary	10,858.28
52.	Treasurer's Office Expense	
	a. Salaries and Wages	19,813.70
	b. Operating Expense	5,895.00
53.	Tree Warden's Salary	1,529.26
54.	Union Wharf	1.00
55.	Veteran's Services	
	a. Salaries and Wages	7,431.65
	b. Operating Expense	34,567.00

## ARTICLE 6      MILLICENT LIBRARY

Moved the sum of \$158,925.86 of which the sum of \$151,046.36 be placed in the tax levy and the further sum of \$7,879.50 State Grant-in-Aid to be received from the Library Aid Fund. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## ARTICLE 7      WATER DIVISION MATTERS

a. Moved the sum of \$75,000.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing to prepare plans and specifications for the extension of a 10 inch water main on Causeway Road from Sconticut Neck Road to Fir Street with all necessary appurtenances and further for preparing plans and specifications for a 1.5 million gallon standpipe on Sconticut Neck Road. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$75,000.00 from Revenue Sharing unanimously.

b. Moved the sum of \$12,000.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing to purchase 250 more or less new water meters. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$12,000.00 from Revenue Sharing unanimously.

c. Moved the sum of \$1,500.00 be appropriated to provide an annual dew line report with testing for chemicals and pesticides at the Mill Road and Mattapoisett Public Water sources to meet the requirements of the Clear Water Act, Public Law 93-523. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$1,500.00 unanimously.

## ARTICLE 8      ACCEPTANCE OF STATUTE

Moved to accept the General Law, Chapter 41, Section 97A which grants to the Chief of Police the right to make suitable regulations governing the Police Department subject to approval by the Board of Selectmen, provided that if the Selectmen fail to act on those regulations they are deemed approved. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## ARTICLE 9      UNION WHARF ACCEPTANCE

Moved to see if the Town, acting pursuant to the pertinent provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 88 and Chapter 82, will accept as a common landing place certain portions of Union Wharf according to the following description:

Beginning in the Southerly line of Union Street at the Southeasterly corner of the premises to be described, said corner being South 81 degrees, 08 minutes — 31 seconds West 274,000 feet from the intersection of the Westerly line of Water Street with the Southerly line of the said Union Street: thence South 81 degrees — 08 minutes — 31 seconds West by the Northerly line of Colten Leasing Corporation 199.02 feet to a concrete bound; thence South 12 degrees — 34 minutes — 39 seconds East by said last named land 7.00 feet; thence south 82 degrees — 33 minutes — 03 seconds West 187.73 feet; thence South 9 degrees — 10 minutes — 30 seconds East 80.49 feet; thence South 10 degrees — 02 minutes — 31 seconds East 32.82 feet; thence North 82 degrees — 25 minutes — 26 seconds East 5.22 feet; thence South 50 degrees — 13 minutes — 51 seconds East 3.18 feet; thence South 6 degrees — 48 minutes — 11 seconds East 40.00 feet; thence South 40 degrees — 54 minutes — 00 seconds West 3.18 feet; thence South 81 degrees — 15 minutes 27 seconds West 100.94 feet; thence North 53 degrees — 01 minutes 18 seconds West 3.18 feet; thence North 8 degrees — 14 minutes — 07 seconds West 118.37 feet; thence North 34 degrees — 58 minutes 57 seconds West 12.00 feet; thence North 8 degrees — 28 minutes — 05 seconds West 66.58 feet; thence North 81 degrees — 00 minutes — 07 seconds East 98.74 feet.

The last thirteen courses being in line of Union Wharf and Acushnet River; thence North 80 degrees — 15 minutes — 50 seconds East partly in the south line of an existing building known as "MacLeans" 9.90 feet; thence South 9 degrees — 44 minutes — 10 seconds East in the West line of a concrete loading dock 11.80 feet; thence North 80 degrees — 15 minutes — 50 seconds East in the Southerly line of a loading dock and ramp 40.50 feet; thence North 9 degrees — 44 minutes — 10 seconds West in the Easterly line of ramp 11.80 feet; thence North 80 degrees — 15 minutes — 50 seconds East in the South line of previously mentioned building 41.37 feet; thence in the same course by land now or formerly Seafood Services, Inc. and South building line 30.00 feet; thence in the same course along South building line 36.38 feet; thence South 9 degrees — 44 minutes — 10 seconds East along West building line 4.00 feet; thence North 80 degrees — 15 minutes — 50 seconds



East along South building line 11.00 feet; thence North 9 degrees 44 minutes — 10 seconds West along East building line 4.00 feet; thence North 80 degrees — 15 minutes — 50 seconds East along South building line 18.00 feet; thence South 9 degrees — 44 minutes — 10 seconds East along West building line 4.10 feet; thence North 80 degrees — 15 minutes — 50 seconds East along South building line 7.60 feet; thence North 9 degrees — 44 minutes — 10 seconds West along East building line 4.10 feet; thence North 80 degrees — 15 minutes — 50 seconds East partly along the South line of building 27.80 feet; thence North 9 degrees — 44 minutes — 10 seconds West 36.29 feet; thence South 81 degrees — 28 minutes — 12 seconds West 12.38 feet to a corner of the Wharf; thence North 5 degrees — 58 minutes — 37 seconds West in line of Wharf 54.69 feet; thence North 81 degrees — 01 minutes — 58 seconds East in line of Wharf 132.07 feet; thence North 80 degrees — 47 minutes — 56 seconds East by land now or formerly of Kelly Dock and Marine Company, Inc., 63.71 feet to other land of the Town of Fairhaven; thence South 8 degrees — 48 minutes — 59 seconds East by land of Town of Fairhaven 29.77 feet to land now or formerly of Salt Water Fishing Club, Inc. thence South 81 degrees — 08 minutes — 31 seconds West by said last named land 33.00; thence South 8 degrees — 48 minutes — 59 seconds East by said last named land 63.00 feet to the Northerly side line of Union Street; thence South 81 degrees — 08 minutes 31 seconds West by the Northerly side line of Union Street 21.92 feet; thence South 50 degrees — 51 minutes — 39 seconds East by the terminus of Union Street 54.50 feet to the point of beginning containing 1 acre plus 7.362 square feet more or less, all as fully described on Plan of Land entitled "Plan Showing Union Wharf in Fairhaven, Mass. surveyed for Town of Fairhaven, March 11, 1983 Scale 1 inch equals 20 feet, Arthur C. Thompson, Inc. Engineers & Surveyors, Marion, Mass.", a copy of which is on file with the Town Clerk, Fairhaven, Mass. Seconded.

Voted adoption of article unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 10                      SCHOOL REPAIRS AND ENERGY CONSERVATION MEASURES**

A. Moved the sum of \$145,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of energy conservation and management with the purchase of ten (10) atomizing No. 4 oil burners, and that to raise the appropriation the sum of \$145,000.00 be borrowed by the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen under M.G.L.A. Chapter 44, Section 7, Clause 3b as amended; and further that application be made to the School Building Assistance Bureau for reimbursement as authorized under Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as most recently amended. Seconded.



Voted unanimously.

B. Moved the sum of \$245,595.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of making extraordinary repairs to roofing and fire escapes in various schools, including the hiring of engineers to prepare the necessary plans and specifications required to accomplish the work, and that to raise the appropriation, the sum of \$245,595.00 be borrowed by the Treasurer under M.G.L. Chapter 44, Section 7 Clause 3a, and that application be made to the School Building Assistance Bureau for state reimbursements under Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as most recently amended. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

#### **ARTICLE 11            BORROW IN ANTICIPATION                          OF REVENUE**

Moved to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1983, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

#### **ARTICLE 12            STREET RESURFACING PROGRAM**

Moved the sum of \$104,000.00 for the resurfacing of portions of Sconticut Neck Road and Alden Road and any other street selected by the Board of Public Works. Seconded.

Moved indefinite postponement. Seconded.  
Indefinite postponement not voted.

Voted sum of \$104,000.00 unanimously.

#### **ARTICLE 13            AMENDMENT TO TOWN BY-LAW**

Moved to see if the Town acting pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 90, Section 20A as amended will vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town of Fairhaven by adding there to the following Chapter XXI.

## Chapter XXI — Parking Violation Fines

Code	Nature of Violation	Penalty
01	Expired Parking Meter	\$ 5.00
02	Not within marked area	5.00
03	Not parking within twelve inches of curb	5.00
04	Parking on left-hand side or wrong side of street	10.00
05	Illegal angle parking	5.00
06	Other (Specify)	5.00
07	Parking within crosswalk	10.00
08	Parking within sidewalk	10.00
09	Parking within Taxi stand	10.00
10	Parking within bus stop	10.00
11	Parking within twenty feet of an intersection	10.00
12	Parking within a loading zone	10.00
13	Parking within a No Parking zone	5.00
14	Parking overtime in restricted area	10.00
15	Double Parked	15.00
16	Obstructing public transportation by leaving less than ten feet for passage of traffic	15.00
17	Parking within ten feet of hydrant	15.00
18	Parking within a service zone	15.00
19	Parking in front of driveway	10.00
20	Impeding snow removal	15.00
21	Parking adjacent to any center strip or island within a public way	15.00
22	Parking or leaving unauthorized vehicle within parking spaces designated for use by disabled veteran or handicapped persons	15.00

Seconded.

Voted adoption unanimously.

### ARTICLE 14                      UNPAID BILLS OF PRIOR YEARS

Moved the sum of \$5,608.00 for the following unpaid bill of prior years:

School Department — S.E. Mass. Educational Coll. \$5,608.00.

Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$5,608.00 unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 15            HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Moved the sum of \$350.00 to defray expenses incurred in pursuance of its duties to promote, protect and preserve the heritage of Fairhaven. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$350.00.

## **ARTICLE 16            SIDEWALKS AND CURBING**

Moved the sum of \$7,500.00 to build sidewalks and install curbs in the town on a participating basis. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$7,500.00 unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 17            UNION WHARF BUILDING**

Voted to pass over.

## **ARTICLE 18            MONITORING TREATMENT PLANT SLUDGE**

Moved the sum of \$950.00 for the chemical analysis and monitoring of the sewerage treatment plant sludge for land application. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$950.00 unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 19            DISPOSITION OF REAL ESTATE**

Moved to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell, lease or otherwise transfer or alienate certain real estate with buildings, if any thereon presently owned by the town and hereinafter more fully described on such terms and conditions and for such consideration as the Board may determine, it being understood that the Board may act with respect to each or all parcels or any portion thereof or of each parcel and that the Board be and it is hereby authorized to execute and deliver and affix the Town seal to any and all documents necessary or convenient to effect any and all transfers to be accomplished hereunder.

### **Anthony School Property (Exclusive of Playground)**

Parcel 1. Located on the easterly side of North Main Street and described in deed from George H. Taber to the Town of Fairhaven dated April 8, 1921 and recorded with Bristol (S.D.) Registry of Deeds Book 516 Page 66 as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the premises hereby described at the northwest corner of land formerly owned by Frank H. Church, now deceased and in the east line of North Main Street, thence easterly in the north line of said Church land two hundred thirty-five and 35/100 (235.35) feet to the northeast corner of said Church land; thence northerly, in the same course as the east line of said Church land, two hundred thirteen and 72/100 (213.72) feet to the south line of land now or formerly of Laura Hedge; thence westerly in said south line of Hedge land one hundred seventy-six and 34/100 (176.34) feet to said east line of North Main Street; thence southerly in said east line of North Main Street two hundred twenty-three and 20/100 (223.20) feet to the point of beginning. Containing one hundred sixty-two and 05/100 (162.05) square rods, more or less.

Parcel 2. Located on the south of and partially contiguous to Parcel 1 above, containing 15.861 square feet, more or less, appearing as Lots 78 and 79 on Assessor's Plan 16 and being bound and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of other land of the Town of Fairhaven, said point being the northeasterly corner of said Lot 79; thence Westerly in the northerly line of said Lots 78 and 79, 150 feet more or less to the northwesterly corner of lot 78; thence Southerly in the westerly line of Lot 78; 105.14 feet more or less to a point being the southwest corner of said Lot 78; thence Easterly in the southerly line of Lots 78 and 79, 150 feet more or less to the southeasterly corner of Lot 79 and a point in the westerly line of other land of the Town of Fairhaven; thence Northerly in the westerly line of other land of the Town of Fairhaven; thence Northerly in the westerly line of other land of the Town lot .50 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

### Ferry Street Station

Parcel 1. Located at the Southeast corner of Water Street and Ferry Street and bounded and described substantially as follows in deed from James H. and Catherine F. Ellis to the Town of Fairhaven dated April 4, 1943 and recorded with Bristol County (S.D.) Registry of Deeds, Book 869, Page 124.

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Water Street and the northerly line of Ferry Street; thence northerly in the easterly line of Water Street 22.06 feet more or less to a point; thence Easterly on an internal angle of 89 degrees, 14 minutes, 56.18 feet more or less to a drill hole, thence southeasterly on an internal



angle of 135 degrees 9.04 feet more or less to a drill hole; thence southerly to a point in the northerly line of Ferry Street 15 feet more or less; thence Westerly in the northerly line of Ferry Street 62.44 feet more or less to the point of beginning. Containing 1651 square feet more or less and being further identified as Lot 107 on Assessor's Plan 7.

### Highway Division Barn and Contiguous Parcels

Parcel 1. Located on the easterly side of Rotch Street containing 2 acres 12,000 square feet more or less, appearing as Lot 70 on Assessor's Plan No. 8 and being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the easterly line of Rotch Street intersects the northerly line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad right of way; thence Northerly by said easterly line of Rotch Street 113.06 feet more or less to a point for a corner thence Northeasterly 116.18 feet more or less to a point; thence Easterly 115.75 feet more or less to a point; thence Southerly 50.51 feet more or less to a point in the northerly line of the said railroad right of way 1013.18 feet more or less to point of beginning.

Parcel 2. Located to the north and partially contiguous to Parcel 1 described above and on the easterly side of Summer Street and the westerly side of Hitch Street, containing 118.94 square rods more or less, appearing as Lots 40, 41, 42, 43, 49, and 50 on Assessor's Plan No. 8 and being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the easterly line of Summer Street intersects the northerly line of Lot 70 Plan 8 (Parcel 1) thence northerly by the easterly line of Summer Street 185.20 feet more or less to the northwest corner of Lot 40, Assessor's Plan No. 8; thence Easterly by northerly line of said Lot 40, 110.50 feet more or less to the northwesterly corner of Lot 47 on said Plan No. 8; thence Southerly by the westerly line of Lots 47 and 48 on said Plan No. 8, 80.0 feet to the northwesterly corner of Lot 49 on said Plan No. 8; thence Easterly by northerly line of said Lot 49, 110.50 feet more or less to a point in the westerly line of Hitch Street, said point being the northeasterly corner of said Lot 49; thence Southerly by the westerly line of Hitch Street 93.14 feet more or less to a point in the northerly line of Parcel 1; thence Westerly in said northerly line 221.34 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

Parcel 3. Located to the north and partially contiguous to Parcel 1 described herein and on the easterly side of Hitch Street



and the westerly side of Tripp Street containing 13,766 square feet more or less, being lots 53 and 58 on Assessor's Plan 27 and being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the easterly line of Hitch Street intersects the northerly line of Lot 70, Plan 8 (Parcel 1); thence northerly in said easterly line of Hitch Street 90.41 feet more or less to a point, said point being the northwesterly corner of Lot 53, Assessor's Plan 27; thence Easterly in the northerly line of Lots 53 and 58 of said plan 160 feet more or less to a point in the westerly line of Tripp Street; thence southerly in said westerly line of Tripp Street 81.68 feet more or less to a point in the northerly line of Parcel 1; thence Westerly in said northerly line of Parcel 1, 160.24 feet more or less to a point of beginning. Seconded.

Voted adoption unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 20                      STABILIZATION FUND**

Voted to pass over.

## **ARTICLE 21                      UPGRADING APPRAISAL VALUES**

Moved the sum of \$75,000.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing to enter into a contract to update the town's real property appraisal file values to an effective date of January 1, 1983 as required by the Department of Revenue for the 1984 fiscal year tax billing. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$75,000.00 from Revenue Sharing unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 22                      STATE AID TO HIGHWAYS**

Moved to authorize the Board of Public Works to accept and enter into contract for the expenditure of any funds allotted or to be allotted by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of town roads. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 23                      PROPAGATION OF SHELLFISH**

Moved the sum of \$9,000.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing for the propagation of shellfish. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$9,000.00 from Revenue Sharing unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 24            REPAIRS TO SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER**

(a) Moved the sum of \$500.00 from Revenue Sharing to replace gutters and downspouts and paint the exterior of the building. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$500.00 from Revenue Sharing unanimously.

(b) 1. Blacktop — parking area — Voted to pass over.

(c) 2. Moved the sum of \$1,500.00 to gravel the parking area, to be transferred from Revenue Sharing. Seconded.

Voted sum of \$1,500.00 from Revenue Sharing unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 25            OLD STONE SCHOOL HOUSE**

Moved the sum of \$100.00 for the renovation and/or maintenance including landscaping the Old Stone School House. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$100.00 unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 26            SMALL CLAIMS**

Voted to pass over.

## **ARTICLE 27            ZONING CHANGE**

Moved to change from Apartment District (RC) to Business Use (B), the following described property:

Beginning at a point on the Northwest corner of the intersection of Union and Main Streets, and Extending northerly to a point on the West side of Main Street, a distance of 69.50 feet; Thence Westerly, to a point on a line parallel to the North line of Union Street, a distance of 65.05 feet: Thence northerly to a point on a line parallel to the West line of Main Street a distance of 70.00 feet; Thence Easterly to a point on a line parallel to the North line of Union Street, a distance of 65.05 feet; Thence Southerly on a line parallel to the West line of Main Street a distance of 70.00 feet to the point of beginning. Being further described as Lot 31 on Fairhaven Assessors' Plat 7. Containing 16.73 rods (4,554.74 square feet) more or less. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

Moved to adjourn at 4:15 P.M. until Tuesday, May 10 at 7:00 P.M. in Elizabeth Hastings Jr. High School. Seconded.

Voted unanimously to adjourn at 4:15 P.M.

## ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1983

WALTER SILVEIRA AUDITORIUM —  
ELIZABETH I. HASTINGS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Meeting called to order at 7:00 P.M.

National Anthem was played.

The Moderator stated that the meeting notice had been properly posted and that a quorum was present.

### ARTICLE 28            BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS EQUIPMENT

A. Two (2) vans — Moved the sum of \$9,773.00 for one (1) van by transferring \$8,550.00 from Revenue Sharing and the further sum of \$1,223.00 be placed in the tax levy. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$8,550.00 from Revenue Sharing and \$1,223.00 in the tax levy, for one van.

B. One (1) Jet Rodder — Moved the sum of \$20,450.00 from Revenue Sharing. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$20,450.00 from Revenue Sharing.

C. Pick-up Truck — Voted to pass over.

D. Catch Basin Cleaning and Equipment — Voted indefinite postponement.

E. Dump Truck Body — Moved the sum of \$4,595.00 by transferring the unexpended balance of \$4,595.00 from Land-New Building, Article 29a/1982 Account. Seconded.

Voted sum of \$4,595.00 from Article 29a/82 Account.

F. Dump Truck with Plow — Voted to pass over.

**ARTICLE 29**

**AMENDMENT TO TOWN BY-LAWS**

Moved to amend the Town By-Laws by adding the following:  
Chapter XXII Gasoline, etc. Storage Licensing and Fees . The Board of Selectmen, may as provided by Section 13 of Chapter 148 of the Massachusetts General Laws issue a license for the keeping, storage, manufacture or sale of any of the items named in Section 9 of Chapter 148 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Any such license granted shall be subject to such conditions and restrictions as may be prescribed in the License by the Board of Selectmen, which may include a condition that the license be exercised to such extent and within such period as may be fixed by the Board of Selectmen.

The fees to be charged for licenses granted under this section are hereby established as follows:

- 0 — 8,000 gallons . . . . . \$25.00
- More than 8,000 gallons . . . . . \$50.00

The owner or occupant of any land licensed as provided heretofore, shall on or before the thirteenth day of April each year file with the Town Clerk a certificate of registration setting forth the name and address of the holder of such license and pay therefor a fee of \$15.00.

The license fee and annual registration fee shall be waived for any political sub-division or agency thereof. Seconded.

Voted adoption unanimously.

**ARTICLE 30**

**MOBY DICK TRAILS COMMITTEE**

Moved the sum of \$150,000.00 for the expenses of the Moby Dick Trails Committee whose function is educational and promotional of Fairhaven and vicinity. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$150.00.

**ARTICLE 31**

**CORRECTIVE DEEDS:  
UNION WHARF PROPERTY UNION STREET**

Moved to see if the Town will convey to Fairhaven Salt Water Fishing Club, Inc., all of its right, title, and interest in land and buildings falling within the parcel of real estate located on the northerly side of Union Street in the Town of Fairhaven bounded and described as follows:



Beginning at the northerly line of Union Street at the southeasterly corner of the parcel to be conveyed, said corner being South 81 degrees, 08 minutes, 31 seconds West 255.58 feet from the intersection of the northerly line of Union Street with the westerly line of Water Street; thence South 81 degrees, 08 minutes 31 seconds West by the northerly line of said Union Street 33.00 feet; thence North 8 degrees, 48 minutes, 59 seconds West by land of this grantor 63.00 feet; thence North 81 degrees 08 minutes, 31 seconds East by the said last named land 33.00 feet; thence South 8 degrees, 48 minutes, 59 seconds East by the said last named land 63.00 feet; to the point of beginning, it being understood that the portion of the premises to be conveyed in which the Town of Fairhaven presently has any right title or interest consists of the westerly portion of the premises approximately eight (8) feet by sixty-three (63) feet running north and south from the north line of Union Street, and

To see if the Town will vote to accept from the Fairhaven Salt Water Fishing Club, Inc., conveyance of all of its right, title and interest in land and buildings falling within the parcel of real estate located on the northerly side of Union Street in the Town of Fairhaven bounded and described as follows:

Beginning in the northerly line of Union Street at the southeasterly corner of the parcel to be leased, said corner being South 81 degrees, 08 minutes, 31 seconds West 190.95 feet from the intersection of the northerly line of Union Street with the westerly line of Water Street; thence South 81 degrees, 08 minutes, 31 seconds West by the northerly line of said Union Street 64.63 feet; thence North 8 degrees, 48 minutes, 59 seconds West 92.77 feet to the southerly line of land now or formerly of Kelly Dock & Marine Co., Inc., Thence North 80 degrees, 47 minutes 56 seconds East by the said last named land 64.63 feet; thence South 8 degrees, 48 minutes, 59 seconds East 93.16 feet to the point of beginning; it being understood that the portion of the premises to be conveyed consists of a segment approximately eight (8) feet by sixty-three (63) feet located in the southwest corner thereof running north and south from the northerly line of Union Street, the forgoing proposed conveyances being for the purpose of properly describing and correcting erroneous description of the properties located at the northerly side of Union Street and owned by the Town and of Fairhaven Salt Water Fishing Club, Inc. Seconded.

Voted adoption unanimously.



**ARTICLE 32                      UNEXPENDED BALANCES TO  
REVENUE**

Moved the following unexpended balances to revenue:

High School Restoration	3.25
School Construction Loan 1963	6,498.95
Civil Service Study Committee	60.73
BPW Equipment	<u>2,645.17</u>
	\$9,208.10

Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

**ARTICLE 33                      TOWN ACCOUNTANT —  
EXCLUSION FROM CIVIL SERVICE**

Moved to see if the Town, acting pursuant to the provisions of Section 8 of Article 89 of the Amendments of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court to enact special legislation excluding the office of Town Accountant, Town of Fairhaven, from the provisions of Civil Service Laws (Chapter 31 of the General Laws) or any regulations issued thereunder, and authorizing the Board of Selectmen to fill the office by the appointment of a qualified individual to serve at the pleasure of the said Board.

Seconded.

Moved to indefinitely postpone. Seconded.

Indefinite postponement voted unanimously.

**ARTICLE 34                      MASSACHUSETTS EMPLOYMENT  
SECURITY**

Moved the sum of \$15,000.00 for payment of all benefits paid by the Division of Employment Security under the Massachusetts Employment Security Law and attributable to our employees.

Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$15,000.00 unanimously.

**ARTICLE 35                      ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT**

Voted to pass over.

## **ARTICLE 36**

## **DATA PROCESSING CENTER**

Moved the sum of \$60,000.00 for the expenses and all matters relating thereto of the Data Processing Center, as established by Article 26 of the May 1, 1982 Town Meeting. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$60,000.00 unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 37**

## **FIRE CHIEF — REMOVAL FROM CIVIL SERVICE COVERAGE**

Moved to authorize the Board of Selectmen, acting pursuant to the provisions of Section 8 of Article 89 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to petition the General Court to repeal Chapter 388 of the Acts of 1972 entitled "An Act Placing the Office of Chief of the Fire Department of the Town of Fairhaven under the Civil Service Law" and thereby excluding the office of Chief of the Fire Department from the provisions of Civil Service Laws (Chapter 31 of the General Laws) or any regulations issued thereunder. Seconded.

Moved to indefinitely postpone. Seconded.

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

## **ARTICLE 38**

## **ACCEPTANCE OF STATUTE**

Moved to see if the Town will accept the provisions of Section 26C of Chapter 148 of the Massachusetts General Laws as amended, which reads as follows:

### **Smoke or Heat Detectors for Dwellings Not Otherwise Regulated**

In any city or town which accepts this section, apartment houses containing six or more dwelling units, hotels, boarding or lodging houses, or family hotels which are not regulated by sections twenty-six A and twenty-six B shall be equipped with an automatic smoke or heat detector in each dwelling unit and each hallway floor.

The head of the Fire Department as defined in section one shall enforce the provisions of this section. (1975 710; 1977 962 approved January 11, 1978, effective 90 days thereafter.)

Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 39**

## **WEST ISLAND TOWN BEACH**

Moved the sum of \$8,500.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing to purchase a small trailer to be used for a bathhouse at the West Island Town Beach and to pave an area for the trailer. Seconded.

Voted the transfer from Revenue Sharing unanimously, \$8,500.00.

## **ARTICLE 40**

## **STREET LIGHTS**

Moved the sum of \$781.47 for the following lights:

- a. Balsam Street — one light on Pole No. 43494
- b. Balsam Street — one light on Pole No. 43512
- c. Blackburn Street — one light on Pole between 24 and 28  
Blackburn Street on north side
- d. Cove Road and Ebony Street — one light on Pole No. 43797
- e. Cushman Park — one light in Cushman Park near concession  
stand
- f. Harding Road — one light on Pole No. 43976
- g. Moravia Avenue — one light on Pole No. 42319
- h. Point Street — one light on Pole No. 1-82-SPP-30 4/35.

Seconded.

Voted sum of \$781.47.

## **ARTICLE 41**

## **SIDEWALK REPAIR PROGRAM**

Moved the sum of \$12,500.00 to continue the program of repairing sidewalks throughout the town that have deteriorated. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$12,500.00.

## **ARTICLE 42**

## **DANA POND ENGINEERING**

Moved the sum of \$50,000.00 for engineering of drainage improvements in the Long Road/Herring River Drain area. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$50,000.00.

## **ARTICLE 43**

## **FORT PHOENIX**

Moved the sum of \$600.00 for repairs, maintenance and improvements at Fort Phoenix. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$600.00.

#### **ARTICLE 44            LIVESEY PARK FENCE**

Voted to pass over.

#### **ARTICLE 45            SEWER IMPROVEMENTS**

a. Treatment Plant Sewer System Rehabilitation and Septic System Maintenance Program

Moved that the sum of \$450,000.00 be appropriated for the cost of engineering services for Step 2 — final planning of the town's sewerage treatment plant; sewer system rehabilitation to remove infiltration/inflow; and a septic system maintenance program; that to meet this appropriation the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$405,000.00 under G.L. Chapter 44, Section 7 (22) as amended; that the Board of Public Works is authorized to contract for Federal and State aid which shall be spent for the project; provided that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of such aid; further that the sum of \$45,000.00 be transferred from Revenue Sharing for the town's share of the cost of the project; and further provided that the town's share will only be expended and the money borrowed if the town is allotted any financial assistance of federal or state funds; and further that the Board of Public Works is authorized to take all other action necessary to carry out this vote. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$45,000.00 from Revenue Sharing and borrow \$405,000.00 unanimously.

b-1 Moved the sum of \$24,000.00 to prepare plans and specifications for the elimination of the Rotch Street Pumping Station. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$24,000.00.

b-2 and c — Voted to pass over.

#### **ARTICLE 46            ROAD WORK**

Moved the following:

1. Balsam Street — Moved the sum of \$22,000.00 to install drain-lines, gravel portions and oil Balsam Street from Cherrystone Road to the Town Beach. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$22,000.00.



2. Bellevue Street — Voted to pass over.
3. Blackburn Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
4. Bonney Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
5. Bridge Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
6. Cedar Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
7. Church Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
8. Cottage Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
9. East Deane Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
10. Doane Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
11. Garrison Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
12. Grandview Avenue — Voted indefinite postponement.
13. Laurel Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
14. Marilane Place — Voted indefinite postponement.
15. Massasoit Avenue — Voted indefinite postponement.
16. Mill Road — Voted indefinite postponement.
17. Moravia Avenue — Moved the sum of \$10,000.00 to install a hydrant, drainage, and place gravel on Moravia Avenue from Sconticut Neck Road to the beach. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$10,000.00.

18. Narragansett Boulevard — Voted indefinite postponement.
19. New Boston Road — Voted indefinite postponement.
20. Pleasant Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
21. Prince Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
22. Reservation Road — Voted indefinite postponement.
23. Temple Place — Voted indefinite postponement.
24. Tripp Street

a. Voted to pass over.

b. Moved the sum of \$22,598.00 to reconstruct, hardsurface and install drainage as needed from Washington Street to Center Street. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$22,598.00.

25. Turner Avenue — Voted to pass over.
26. North Walnut Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
27. Weeden Place — Voted indefinite postponement.



- 28. Weeden Road — Voted indefinite postponement.
- 29. Wilding Street — Voted indefinite postponement.
- 30. North William Street — Voted indefinite postponement.

#### **ARTICLE 47            GRIMSHAW PROPERTY**

a. Voted to receive report of progress and recommendations of Grimshaw Property Committee. Received minority report from Council on Aging.

b. Moved the sum of \$1,000.00 for minor improvements to Grimshaw Property, all work to be done under the jurisdiction and control of the Board of Public Works. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$1,000.00.

#### **ARTICLE 48            DRAINAGE**

Moved the sum of \$7,500.00 from Revenue Sharing to repair and/or install catch basins and some short drain lines at locations determined by the Board of Public Works. Seconded.

Voted sum of \$7,500.00 from Revenue Sharing.

#### **ARTICLE 49            CURBING AND HARD-SURFACING                              PATCHWORK**

Moved the sum of \$40,000.00 for the installation of curbing and hard-surface patches to eliminate erosion and the deterioration of existing hard-road surfaces in different areas. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$40,000.00.

#### **ARTICLE 50            STREET ACCEPTANCE**

Bellevue Street — Voted to pass over.

#### **ARTICLE 51            ACADEMY BUILDING**

Moved the sum of \$400.00 for repairs, maintenance and improvements of the Academy Building. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$400.00.

**ARTICLE 52            MOSQUITO CONTROL**

Moved the sum of \$6,000.00 from Revenue Sharing for Mosquito Control in the Town of Fairhaven, said money to be spent under the jurisdiction of the Board of Selectmen. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$6,000.00 from Revenue Sharing.

**ARTICLE 53            INTEREST ON LOANS**

Moved the sum of \$10,000.00 for interest on loans voted by Town Meeting. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$10,000.00.

**ARTICLE 54            BOND EXPENSE**

Moved the sum of \$5,000.00 to pay all the expenses incurred for bonds voted by Town Meeting. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$5,000.00.

**ARTICLE 55            ACCEPTANCE OF STATUTE**

Moved to accept the provisions of Chapter 653 of the Acts of 1983, which amends Section 5 of Chapter 59 of the Massachusetts General Laws by inserting after Clause forty-first A, the following clause:

**Forty-first B**

Real property to the amount of four thousand dollars of taxable valuation or the sum of five hundred dollars, whichever would amount in an exemption of the greater amount of taxes due, of a person who has reached his seventieth birthday prior to the fiscal year for which an exemption is sought and occupied by said person as his domicile, or of a person who owns the same jointly with his spouse, either of whom has reached his seventieth birthday prior to the fiscal year for which an exemption is sought and occupied by them as their domicile, or for a person who has reached his seventieth birthday prior to the fiscal year of which an exemption is sought who owns the same jointly or as a tenant in common with a person not his spouse and occupied by him as his domicile; provided: (a) that such person (1) has been domiciled in the commonwealth for the preceeding ten years. (2) has so owned and occupied such real property or other real property in the commonwealth for five years, or (3) is a surviving spouse, who inherits such real property

and has occupied such real property in the commonwealth five years and who otherwise qualified under this clause: (B) that such person had, in the preceeding year gross receipts from all sources of less than ten thousand dollars, or if married, combined gross receipts with his spouse of less than twelve thousand dollars, provided however, that in computing the gross receipts of an applicant under this clause ordinary business expenses and loses may be deducted, but not personal or family expenses, and provided further, that there shall deducted from the total amount received by the applicant under the federal social security or railroad retirement and from any annuity, pension, or retirement plan established for employees of the United States government, the government of the commonwealth, or the government of any city, town, county, or special district, included in such gross receipts, an amount equivalent to the minimum payment then payable under said federal social security law, as determined by the commissioner of revenue to a retired worker seventy years of age or over if the applicant is unmarried, or to a retired worker and spouse both of whom are seventy years of age or over, if the applicant is married, and (C) that such person has a whole estate, real and personal, not in excess of twenty thousand dollars, or if married, not in excess of twenty-three thousand dollars provided that real property occupied as his domicile shall not be included in computing the whole estate except for any portion of said property which produces income. In the case of real property owned by a person jointly or as a tenant in common with a person not his spouse, the amount of his exemption under this clause shall be that proportion of four thousand dollars valuation or the sum of five hundred dollars whichever would result in an exemption of the greater amount of taxes due, which the amount of his interest in such property bears to the whole tax due; provided: (A) that no exemption shall be granted to any joint tenant or tenant in common unless the gross receipts from all sources whatsoever of each joint tenant or tenant in common is less than ten thousand dollars or, if married, the combined gross receipts from all sources whatsoever of each joint tenant or tenant in common and his spouse is less than twelve thousand dollars, provided, however, that in computing the gross receipts of an applicant under this clause ordinary business expenses and losses may be deducted, but not personal or family expenses, and provided, further that there shall be deducted from the total amount received by the applicant under the federal social security or railroad retirement and from any annuity, pension, or retirement plan established for employees of the United States government, the government of the commonwealth or the government of any city, town, county, or special district, included in such receipts, an amount equivalent to the minimum payment then payable under



said federal social security law, as determined by the commission of revenue, to a retired worker seventy years of age or over, if the applicant is unmarried, or to a retired worker and spouse, both of who are seventy years of age or over, if the applicant is married, and (B) that the combined whole estate, real and personal, of each joint tenant in common is less than twenty thousand dollars or, if married, the combined whole estate, real and personal of each joint tenant or tenant in common and his spouse does not exceed twenty-three thousand dollars, provided that real property occupied as their domicile shall not be included in computing the whole estate except for any portion of said property which produces income. No proportion of the exemption shall be denied to any applicant otherwise qualified for the reason that another joint tenant or tenant in common receives a porportion of the total exemption. Household furnishings and property already exempt under the twelfth, twentieth, thirty-first, and thirty-fifth clauses of this section shall not be included in computing the whole estate for purposes of this section. Where a portion of the real property occupied as a domicile of an applicant under this clause is located within a municipality other than the municipality in which the applicant is domiciled, and where the value of said property, or the taxes, assessed by the municipality in which such applicant is domiciled would result in his receiving less than the maximum exemption provided by this clause, that part of the property of such applicant within such other municipality shall be exempt to a value, or to an amount of tax, sufficient to grant the applicant the total maximum exemption provided by the clause. This clause shall take effect upon its acceptance by any city or town. In those cities and towns which accept the provisions of this clause, the provisions of clause Forty-first shall not be applicable, provided, however that any amount of money annually appropriated by the commonwealth for the purpose of reimbursing cities and towns for taxes abated under this clause and clause Forty-first shall be distributed as provided in said clause Forty-first.

Petitioned by the Board of Assessors

Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## ARTICLE 56

## SERVICE EASEMENT — SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT

Moved to grant perpetual right and easement to the Commonwealth Electric Company and the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, as tenants in common to erect, relocate, operate,

maintain and remove line(s), with the necessary poles, wires, cables, guys, and other fixtures and appurtenances for the transmission of electricity and intelligence upon, over, under and across the land of the Town described substantially as follows:

A tract of land containing forty-eight (48) acres more or less at the foot of Arsene Street, between Sconticut Neck Road and the Nasketucket River.

Said tract is shown on a plan entitled "Fairhaven, Mass., Plan of Proposed Site for Sewage Treatment Plant, Scale 1" — 300' July 1965, Fay, Spofford & Thorndike, Inc. Eng., Boston, Mass." filed in the Bristol County (S.D.) Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 70, Page 58.

The location of said easement to be established by the erection of said line(s) to provide service to the Town's Treatment Plant or any lessee of the Town; all on such further or alternative terms and conditions, if any as the Selectmen may determine. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

#### **ARTICLE 57                      TRANSFER FROM EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY**

Moved the sum of \$500,000.00 from the Excess and Deficiency Account for the reduction of the tax levy. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

#### **ARTICLE 58                      REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

Voted to pass over.

#### **ARTICLE 59                      OTHER BUSINESS**

Voted to pass over.

Moved to adjourn at 10:30 P.M. Seconded.

Meeting adjourned sine die.

**JOSEPH A. SALADINO**  
*Town Clerk*



## SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

NOVEMBER 16, 1983

WALTER SILVEIRA AUDITORIUM —  
ELIZABETH I. HASTINGS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Meeting called to order at 7:00 P.M. by the Moderator.

The National Anthem was played.

The Moderator introduced those seated on stage.

The Moderator stated that the warrant was properly served and posted, and that a quorum was present.

The following Town Meeting Members were present:

Precinct One	31
Precinct Two	35
Precinct Three	28
Precinct Four	18
Precinct Five	31
Precinct Six	15
At-large	6
Total	164

Voted that the reading of the warrant and return of service be omitted.

Voted that the Moderator be relieved from reading each article and that he refer to articles by number only.

Voted that appropriations be placed in the tax levy of July 1, 1983, to June 30, 1984 unless otherwise specified.

### ARTICLE 1 TOWN CHARGES

a. Greater N.B. Regional Vocational Technical High School.

1. Moved to rescind the vote of May 7, 1983 of \$162,319.00 for the Greater N.B. Regional Vocational Technical High School. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

2. Moved the sum of \$19,012.00 for the town's Assessment for Fiscal Year 1984. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$19,012.00.

b. Fire Department Capital Outlay.

Moved the sum of \$6,000.00 be transferred from Post War Rehabilitation Fund, this sum to be added to the sum previously voted for the Fire Department Capital Outlay. Seconded.

Voted the sum of \$6,000.00 from Post War Rehabilitation Fund.

## ARTICLE 2      SMALL CITIES

Voted to discuss Article 2 in its entirety and to vote on Section "b" before Section "a".

b. Moved that \$145,000.00 is borrowed for the elimination of the Rotch Street Sewer Pumping Station and installation of all necessary sewer lines to connect the Rotch Street service area to the South Street sewer station and for the installation of a stub line for future development in accordance with the application made under the Job Fund of the Mass. Small Cities Program (authorized under the Emergency Jobs Appropriation Bill of 1984 — Public Law 98-8); and that to meet this appropriation, the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$145,000.00 under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 7 (1) as amended, and that the Board of Public Works is authorized to take all other necessary action to carry out this vote.

Seconded.

Voted unanimously to borrow \$145,000.00.

a. Moved to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept and expend the sum of \$272,000.00 allotted to the Town of Fairhaven under the Job Fund of the Massachusetts Small Cities Program as authorized by the Emergency Jobs Appropriations Bill of 1983 (Public Law 98-8) for the elimination of the Rotch Street pumping station and installation of all the necessary piping and appurtenances thereto to connect this service area to the South Street station and for a stub line for future development. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## ARTICLE 3      TRIPP SCHOOL RENOVATION

Voted to pass over.

## ARTICLE 4      SALE OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT BARN PROPERTIES

Moved adoption of article and the sale of the premises herein described consisting of three parcels for the sum of not less than \$62,000.00.

To see if the Town will vote to confirm, clarify and perfect action of the Annual Town Meeting, of May 7, 1983 on Article 19 thereof, "Disposition of Real Estate", with particular respect to the disposition of the "Highway Division Barn and Contiguous Parcels" by adopting the following:

Authorize the Selectmen to sell in fee simple certain real estate hereinafter more and fully described owned by and located within the Town of Fairhaven pursuant to the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 15, and the Selectmen be and they are hereby authorized to execute and deliver and affix the Town Seal to any and all documents necessary or convenient to effect the sale of the premises authorized hereby, said premises being bounded and described as follows:

**Parcel One:** Beginning at a point it being the junction of the north line of N.Y., N.H. & H.R.R. and the west line of Rotch Street, as laid out; thence in line of land owned by Elizabeth J. Durfee by course N.  $4^{\circ} 35'$  E. ninety-nine and  $58/100$  (99.58) feet to a point; thence in line of south end of Rotch Street and land now or formerly belonging to Rodolphus Beetle and M. R. Hitch, trustees, known as Eldridge Park, by course N.  $68^{\circ} 47' 30''$  E. two hundred sixteen and  $16/100$  (216.16) feet to a drill hole; thence S.  $87^{\circ} 30'$  E. one hundred fifteen and  $75/100$  (115.75) feet to a drill hole; thence S.  $88^{\circ} 41'$  E. seven hundred nineteen and  $50/100$  (719.50) feet to a drill hole; thence in line of James P. Terry land by course S.  $4^{\circ} 32'$  E. twenty-three and  $41/100$  (23.41) feet to a drill hole; thence by course S.  $22^{\circ} 47'$  E. seventeen and  $10/100$  (17.10) feet to a drill hole on the north line of N.Y., N.H., & H.R.R.; thence S.  $84^{\circ} 9'$  W. ten hundred fifty-eight and  $94/100$  (1058.94) feet, containing three hundred eighty-one and  $95/100$  (381.95) square rods more or less. (2 acres 61.95 rods more or less); being the same premises acquired by the Town from Charles G. Taber by order of taking dated June 22, 1922 recorded with Bristol County (S.D.) Registry of Deeds Public Improvement Book 4, Page 38 and being the same premises appearing on "Plan of Land owned by Charles G. Taber" dated January 10, 1922 recorded with said Registry in Plan Book 25 at Page 11.

**Parcel Two:** Located to the north and partially contiguous to Parcel 1 described above and on the easterly side of Summer Street and the westerly side of Hitch Street, containing 118.94 square rods more or less, appearing as Lots 40, 41, 42, 43, 49 and 50 on Assessor's Plan No. 8 and being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the easterly line of Summer Street intersects the northerly line of Parcel 1, thence northerly by the easterly line of Summer Street 185.20 feet more or less to the northwest corner of Lot 40, Assessor's Plan No. 8; thence easterly by northerly line of said Lot 40, 110.50 feet more or less to the northwesterly corner of Lot 47 on said Plan No. 8; thence southerly by the westerly line of Lots 47 and 48 on said Plan No. 8, 80.0 feet to the northwesterly corner of Lot 49 on said Plan No. 8; thence easterly by northerly line of said Lot 49, 110.50 feet more or less to a point in the westerly line of Hitch Street, said point being the northeasterly corner of said Lot 49; thence Southerly by the westerly line of Hitch Street 93.14 feet more or less to a point in the northerly line of Parcel 1; thence westerly in said northerly line 221.34 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

**Parcel Three:** Located to the north and partially contiguous to Parcel 1 described herein and on the easterly side of Hitch Street and the westerly side of Tripp Street containing 13,766 square feet more or less, being Lots 53 and 58 on Assessor's Plan 27 and being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the easterly line of Hitch Street intersects the northerly line of Lot 70, Plan 8 (Parcel 1); thence northerly in said easterly line of Hitch Street 90.41 feet more or less to a point, said point being the northwesterly corner of Lot 53, Assessor's Plan 27; thence easterly in the northerly line of Lots 53 and 58 of said plan 160 feet more or less to a point in the westerly line of Tripp Street; thence Southerly in said westerly line of Tripp Street 81.68 feet more or less, to a point in the northerly line of Parcel 1; thence westerly in said northerly line of Parcel 1 160.24 feet more or less to a point of beginning.

Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 5        DISPOSITION OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS LAND**

Moved adoption of article and the sale of the premises herein described for a sum of not less than \$2,000.00.



Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises to be conveyed it also being the southeasterly corner of land now or formerly of Peter and Kerry A. Dufresne; thence southerly by land now or formerly of Anibal Ferro and land now or formerly of Riverside Cemetery 330 feet more or less to the northeasterly line of a 40 foot wide drainage easement taken by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works on behalf of the Town of Fairhaven on August 30, 1972; thence in a general northwesterly direction by the northeasterly line of the aforementioned drainage easement 237.68 feet more or less to the easterly sideline of Oglare Street shown on a plan of "Lucky Gardens" which is recorded in the Bristol County Registry of Deeds, Plan Book #20, Page # 60; thence northerly by the east sideline of Oglare Street 158 feet more or less to the southwesterly corner of the aforementioned Peter and Kerry A. Dufresne; thence easterly by the said last named land 152.60 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

Containing 40,802 square feet more or less.

Being lots #66, #67, #68, and a portion of Lot #69, #70, #71 and #72 as shown on the aforementioned plan of "Lucky Gardens."

Seconded.

Moved to indefinitely postpone. Seconded.

Voted indefinite postponement.

## **ARTICLE 6        HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL**

Moved to instruct the Board of Selectmen or any other municipal body to prohibit the establishment of any Hazardous Waste Disposal site or facility within the confines of the Town of Fairhaven. Seconded.

Moved to amend to read any "new" Hazardous Waste Disposal site. Seconded.

Voted adoption as amended unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 7        EASEMENT — SKIPPER MOTOR INN AREA**

Moved adoption of the article on the condition that the easement as granted by the Selectmen restrict the northeasterly portion of the premises to its present use and natural condition, such as grass and planting. Seconded.



To see if the Town will vote to affirm, clarify and enlarge an easement for the passage of motor vehicles over certain land of the Town located on the west side of Middle Street, said easement having been granted to the Skipper of Fairhaven, Inc. by the Board of Selectmen, acting under authority of Article 95 adopted at adjourned Annual Town Meeting held March 31, 1966, said easements being executed May 19, 1969 and recorded with Bristol County (S.D.) Registry of Deeds, Book 1868, Page 0555 as follows: Authorize the Board of Selectmen to grant an interest in the nature of an easement in and to certain real estate owned by and located in the Town of Fairhaven upon such terms and conditions and for such duration and consideration, if any, as the Board shall determine; said easement to be for passage and access and egress by foot and motor vehicle on, over and across the "easement premises", together with the right to install, construct, maintain and use underground utilities, together with related appurtenances at or below grade, together with the right to park motor vehicles on, over and upon such easement area; together with littoral rights and the right to construct a marina; together with the right to construct, erect and maintain lawful signs; said "easement premises" being more particularly described as follows and as appearing on plan of land prepared by Arthur C. Thompson, Inc., Engineers and Surveyors, Marion, Massachusetts, filed with the Board of Selectmen and dated October 19, 1983 with addition October 21, 1983.

Beginning at the northeast corner of land of Edmund Dinis and the southeast corner of the Town of Fairhaven on the west sideline of Middle Street; thence South  $86^{\circ} 58' 30''$  West by the north sideline of land now or formerly of Edmund Dinis 429.04 feet to the combined State Harbor Line and Federal Pierhead and Bulkhead Line and the Acushnet River: thence North  $2^{\circ} 06' 01''$  East by the said last mentioned line 87.76 feet to the south sideline of Huttleston Avenue; thence North  $86^{\circ} 58' 30''$  East by the southerly sideline of Huttleston Avenue 185.56 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the right, said curve having a radius of 167.00 feet and length 27.12 feet measured on the arc; thence by a curve deflecting to the left, said curve having a radius of 365.00 feet and a length of 52.68 feet measured on the arc to a point; thence South  $0^{\circ} 45' 10''$  East 33.03 feet to a point, said last mentioned course being two feet from and parallel to a concrete slab; thence North  $86^{\circ} 58' 30''$  East 150.21 feet to the southwesterly sideline of Huttleston Avenue; thence by a curve deflecting to the right, said curve having a radius of 110.45 feet and length of 35.11 feet measured on the arc to a Massachusetts Highway Bound at the northwest end of Middle Street; thence South  $5^{\circ} 10' 30''$  East by the west sideline of Middle Street; 13.19 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 0.7 acres more or less, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted unanimously to adopt article as amended.

## **ARTICLE 8      BY-LAW CORRECTION**

Moved to amend the action taken on Article 13 of the Annual Town Meeting May 7, 1983 by striking out Chapter XXI where it appears therein and inserting in lieu thereof Chapter XXIII. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 9      AMENDMENT TO ZONING MAP**

Moved to amend the previous descriptions and boundaries of the Nasketucket River Basin District as voted under Article 60 Item 2 of the 1975 Annual Town Meeting and replace it with the following:

Revise the zoning map of the Town of Fairhaven by superimposing a Nasketucket River Basin District delineated as follows:

Enclose an area bounded on the West by a point on the West side of Mill Road 400 feet northerly of the North line of Washington Street, thence northerly along the west side of Mill Road to a junction point with the southerly side of Oak Grove Lane (formerly Boston Hill Road), thence from said junction point northerly to a bend in the northerly line of the Fairhaven-Acushnet Town line, thence, from said bend easterly along the Fairhaven-Acushnet Town line to the east side of New Boston Road, thence southerly along the east side of New Boston Road to a point 400 feet northerly of the northerly line of Washington Street, thence westerly along a line 400 feet northerly and parallel to Washington Street to the point of beginning. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## **ARTICLE 10      AMENDMENT TO ZONING MAP**

Moved to rezone a tract of land from Business to Single-family Residence, being more particularly described as follows:

A strip of land, approximately 80 feet in width, located on the north side of Manhattan Avenue and lying between Bayview Avenue and Buzzards Bay, being the same land that was zoned to Business District by vote of Article 4-g of the Town Meeting held on October 5, 1950, and being more specifically described as follows:

Beginning in the northwest corner of the parcel to be rezoned, said point of beginning being located at the easterly side line of Bayview Avenue and westerly property line of land now or formerly of H. J. Pollock (being Parcel #486 of Assessors' Plat 28A); thence southeasterly 56 feet by the southerly sideline of Bayview Avenue to the point of curvature of a right curve of 24 feet radius; thence southerly by the said right curve 37.8 feet to the point of tangency of said right curve at the northerly side line of Manhattan Avenue; thence southwesterly approximately 267 feet by the westerly sideline of said Manhattan Avenue to Buzzards Bay; thence westerly approximately 100 feet by Buzzards Bay to a corner and to the Single-Family Residence district; thence northeasterly approximately 336 feet parallel to the westerly sideline of Manhattan Avenue and by the easterly boundary line of the Single-Family District to the southerly sideline of Bayview Avenue and to the point of beginning; being parcels 460J and 486 of Assessors' Plat 28A and containing approximately one-half acre of land and meaning and intending to rezone all business land at the southwest corner of Bayview Avenue and Manhattan Avenue to Single-Family Residence. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

## ARTICLE 11                      REDUCE LOAN AUTHORIZATION

Moved to rescind that part of the authorization for borrowing in excess of the amount actually borrowed under the following articles:

(a) Sewer Construction — Article 34 of the May 13, 1976 Adjourned Annual Town Meeting — Moved to rescind \$3,947,515.38. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

(b) Highway Compactor — Article 59 of the May 15, 1976 Adjourned Annual Town Meeting — Moved to rescind \$9,082.00. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

(c) Board of Public Works Equipment — Article 37 of the May 14, 1977 Adjourned Annual Town Meeting — Moved to rescind \$1,000.00. Seconded.

Voted unanimously.

Voted to adjourn at 8:20 P.M. sine die.

JOSEPH A. SALADINO  
*Town Clerk*



## JURY LIST

Gloria F. Almeida	60 Gellette Rd.	Legal Secretary
Daniel Alves	19 Linden Ave.	Fishery Inspector
Barbara A. Amaral	8 Dover Street	Winder
Jose F. Ambar	17 Rogers Street	Prod. Supervisor
Gary Ashworth	150 Alden Rd.	Controller
June Astin	22 Bryant Lane	Homemaker
Roland D. Audette	268 Alden Road	Manager
Nancy J. Backus	4 Phillip Street	Social Worker
Jean Marie Baldwin	11 Phillip Street	Sales Clerk
Kenneth F. Balthazar	141 Pleasant Street	Gov. Auditor
Edmund Barker	207 Main Street	Bank Courier
Charles W. Barnett	127 Balsam Street	Retired
Evelyn J. Baum	2 Phoenix Street	Owner/Manager
Charles J. Bell	15 Saratoga Street	Prod. Supervisor
Dolores Benoit	14 Magnolia Ave.	Records Clerk
Kenneth Bertoldo	70 Bridge Street	Salesman
Joseph J. Bettencourt	42 Hathaway Street	Foreman
Raymond J. Bisso	26 Magnolia Ave.	Pharmacist
David Blaha	28 Fort Street	Salesman
Pearle W. Bobrowiecki	45 Bonney Street	Clerk
Cheryl A. Boutin	320 New Boston Road	Housewife
Leroy J. Bowman	17 Florence Street	Maintenance
Felix Bruce, Jr.	6 Park Ave.	Owner
Therese A. Burns	87 Green Street	Housewife
Joan E. Cabana	19 Grandview Ave.	Cashier
David W. Coble	59 Chestnut Street	Elect. Engineer
Mary Cardoza	258 Adams Street	Secretary
Fred Carvalho	41 Green Street	Section Manager
Leonard G. Cejka	32 Hedge Street	Retired
John C. Chamberlain	89 Church Street	Foreman
Eleanor M. Charpentier	125 New Boston Road	Bookkeeper
Agnes M. Cipriani	26 Briercliff Road	Chemical Tester
Francis J. Coffey	2 Coolidge Street	Machine Operator
Ann Stetson Collis	44 Pleasant Street	Switchboard Oper.
May A. Collins	11 Roseanne Drive	Clerk
Silvino Castello, Jr.	2 Oak Grove Lane	Business Manager
Robert A. Cournoyer	700 Sconticut Neck	Proprietor
Maurice J. Coury	9 Manuel Street	Diesel Mechanic
John H. Covington	4 Newton Street	Maintenance
Joseph Cravero	22 Atlas Street	Prod. Worker
Richard T. Cromwell	23 Ash Street	Machine Operator
Joan M. Dean	16 Taber Street	Senior Clerk



Edmund DeBarros	140 E. Coggeshall Street	Watchman
George R. Diggle	21 Summer Street	Sales Consultant
Roger L. Dion	9 Blackburn Street	Shipper
Cheryl C. Ditchey	14 Shaw Road	Nurse's Aide
Robert F. Doane	63 No. Summer Street	Retired
Arthur P. Dolan	137 Weeden Road	Service Manager
Lorraine Duarte	16 Hawthorne Street	Housewife
Donald M. Evans	12 Jarvis Ave	Ind. Engineer
Violet B. Faria	251 Sconticut Neck	L.P.N.
Shirley A. Fareas	40 Newbury Ave.	Floor Lady
Mahlon S. Faunce, Jr.	119 Adams Street	Security Guard
Frank Felix	11 Brook Drive	Liquor Salesman
Emilie T. Fitts	23 Farmfield Street	Homemaker
William T. Flood	P.O. Box 744	Retired
Robert A. Fontaine	360 New Boston Road	Adv. Sales Rep.
Anthony A. Fraga	16 Stone Street	Storekeeper
Philip J. Gallant	112 Chestnut Street	Installer
Raymond A. Gardner	27 Main Street	Purchasing Agent
Karen E. Garnett	241 Adams Street	Secretary
Dale L. Gassett	36 Coggeshall Street	Carpenter
Daniel Gautreau	31 Elm Ave.	Carpenter
David H. Gisborne	62 Massasoit Ave.	Diesel Mechanic
Cynthia A. Gobeil	6 Milton Street	Presser & Sorter
Elaine Gobeil	51 William Street	Stacker
Richard J. Goulet	9 Morton Street	Maint. Mechanic
John F. Grover, Jr.	1 Buxton Street	Electronics Tech.
George B. Hacking	233 Adams Street	Director-Security
Robert P. Hebert	186 Sconticut Neck	Gas Sta. Attnd.
Heitor Moura	12 Austria Ave.	Supervisor
Peter W. Hemingway	34 Middle Street	Route Salesman
Milton J. Hinchcliffe	100 Farmfield Street	Plate Saw Oper.
Phyllis M. Holstius	404 Washington Street	Housewife
Steven D. Howarth	130 Chestnut Street	Installation Supv.
James W. Howell	141 Chestnut Street	Social Worker
John R. Hunt	11 Blossom Street	Draftsman
Edward H.		
Hutchins, Jr.	21 Beachwood Street	Toll Supervisor
William H.		
Isherwood, Jr.	124 Pleasant Street	Mechanic
Susan Jacobson	28 Scott Street	Switchboard Oper.
Chester C. Jason	4 Marilane Place	Truck Driver
Paul K. Johnson	70 Washington Street	Supervisor
Ernest E. Jones, Sr.	652 Washington Street	Mechanic
Arthur J. Joubert, Jr.	22 Little Neck Road	Retired
Barbara A. Kelleher	35 Berkly Road	Housewife

Edwin T. Kucharski	9 Hopkins Street	Dept. Manager
Paul D. Labonte	18 Roy Street	Insurance Broker
Magadelene Lague	2 Meadow Lane	Inspector
Robert H. Lague	29 Main Street	Unemployed
Sharon G. Lamy	65 Washington Street	Tel. Operator
Richard R. Lauzon	22 Hill Street	Switchboard Oper.
Robert P. Lawton	45 New Boston Road	Biologist
Marc G. LeBlanc	38 Alpine Ave.	Produce
Mary L. Leon	10 James Street	Aide
Ernest Lewis	4 Jason Terrace	Proprietor
J. Maurice Lewis	61 Weeden Road	Title Dist. Planner
Paul J. Lowney	28 Seaview Ave.	Lab Technician
Donald C. Luiz	330 Main Street	Disabled
George S. Luiz	48 Cherry Street	Food Inspector
Donald McClurg	131 No. William Street	Furnace Operator
Brian McCormack	37 Washington Street	Pharmacist
Peter K. McCormack	138 Main Street	Computer Prog.
Lillian Machado	42 Gilbert Street	Meat Wrapper
Arthur G. Maloney	17 Coe Street	Bus Driver
Carolyn Manchester	26 Middle Street	Secretary
Dennis M. Marotte	66 Massasoit Ave	Machine Oiler
Jeanne A. Martin	31 Highland Ave.	Stitcher
John M. Melo	376 Bridge Street	Maint. Supervisor
Joseph Mello	14 Sycamore Street	Point Grinder
Paul Mello	137 Pleasant Street	Loan Officer
Robert L. Mendall	23 Cottage Street	Truck Driver
Maurice Mendonca	5 Cottage Street	Truck Driver
William P. Miller	22 Holiday Drive	Tel. Equip Maint.
Irene Moniz	38 Christian Street	Buffer
Renee Monteiro	68 Howland Road	Housewife
Calliope P. Morrow	234 Main Street	Qual. Assur. Ckr.
Eunice S. Murray	18 Coggeshall Street	Foster Mother
Barry Nowell	219 Sconticut Neck Road	Truck Driver
Julio Oliveira	178 Cottonwood Street	Self Employed
Robert J. Oliveira	35 Rodman Street	Broadcast Eng.
Hugh J. O'Neale	62 Church Street	Computer Prog.
Emery F. Orrall	11 Chambers Street	Quality Control
Donald L. Ouellette	17 Gardner Street	Proprietor
Anna Pacheco	5 Jarvis Ave.	Teachers Aide
Robert A. Paine	48 Cottage Street	Manager
Albert G. Pelletier, Sr.	18 Beach Street	Elect. Engineer
Scott M. Perry	47 Pleasant Street	Collector-
		Video Games
Gerald Phillipp	34 Elizabeth Street	Proprietor
Gary A. Pierce	30 Jefferson Street	Cook P.T.

Sandra Pimentel	16 Bay Street	Secretary
Peter E. Plant	141 Green Street	Press Mechanic
Maryann Polchlopek	6 Linclon Drive	Reg. Nurse
Joseph Ponte III	8 Lawton Street	Tool Maker
William E. Pratt	52 East Allen Street	Furnace Operator
Carolyn J. Rapoza	122 Bridge Street	File Clerk
Theodore Ratcliffe	345 New Boston Road	Data Process. Mgr.
Leander M. Reed III	15 Rockland Street	Machinist
William Riley	93 Raymond Street	Truck Driver
Grace A. Rioux	117 Pleasant Street	Housewife
Henry W. Rioux	6 Dover Street	Slasher Helper
Marion B. Roberts	40 Larch Ave.	Secretary
Evelyn M. Rosa	9 Brown Street	
Joseph E. Rose	99 Balsam Street	Examiner
Kenneth Rose	22 Daniel Street	Truck Driver
Pauline T. Ryan	8 Magnolia Ave	Payroll, Personnel
William B. Sanders, Jr.	54 William Street	Auto Electrician
Craig Santos	6 Green Street	Spray Painter
Daniel Santos	35 Alpine Ave	Machine Operator
Sylvia C. Scharff	35 Main Street	Inspector
Elizabeth Schonheinz	43 Pleasant Street	Cashier
Stephen C. Scorgie	24 Fisherman Road	Clerk & Musician
John A. Sharples	7 Jeannette Street	Asst. Mgr. Sales
Sarah Sheahan	55 Yale Street	Accts. Rec Clerk
Germaine I. Silva	37 William Street	Adm. Assistant
Antone M. Simas	19 Jameson Street	Night Supervisor
Claudia J. Simpson	431 Sconticut Neck	Office Manager
Susan L. Smigel	34 Kane Street	Hygienist
Arthur G. Smith	59 Rotch Street	Machine Assembler
Francis P. Souza	242 Main Street	Consumer/Relations
June M. Smith	31 Garrison Street	Bus Monitor
Kenneth Smith	41 Sedgewick Road	Gen. Manager
Paul C. Smith	69 North Street	Drawbridge Oper.
Thomas R. Spence	12 Holiday Drive	Retired
Edward B. Spencer	117 Laurel Street	Electrician
Jan St. Germain	79 Washington Street	Homemaker
Arthur D. Surprenant	40 Bay Street	Tow Boat Oper.
Dante J. Susi	2 Hedge Street	Machine Operator
Anthony M. Sylvia, Jr.	40 Boston Hill Road	Dental Tech. P T.
Henry M. Taber	3 Terry Street	Respiratory Tech.
Charles J. Tapper	42 Babbitt Street	Draftsman
Brian P. Taylor	100 Cedar Street	Foreman
Pauline Texeira	52 Cherry Street	Ret. Plans Adm.
William Tomlinson III	67 Coggeshall Street	Electrician
Shirley A. Verroneau	19 Welcome Street	Mortgage Supr.

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Peggy F. Wright  
David R. St. Pierre  
Robert A. Costa

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35 Pleasant Street  
310 Washington Street  
93 Main Street  
42 Middle Street  
22 Massoit Ave.  
17 River Ave.  
26 Holcomb Street

Draftsman  
Machinist  
Captain  
Motel Manager  
T.S.P.S. Operator  
Stock Operator  
Office Clerk  
Auto Body Rep.  
Manager



## IN MEMORIAM



**LAWRENCE B. MAXFIELD**

Sewer and Water Commissioner from 1939 thru 1968

Sanitary Inspector from 1957 to 1969

Member of the Board of Public Works  
from 1970 to 1980

Member of the George H. Taber Lodge of Masons,  
32nd degree, the Scottish Rite and the  
Alleppo Shrine of Boston

Member of the First Congregational Church

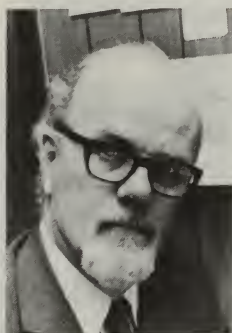
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IN MEMORIAM

FRANK E. BETTENCOURT

Member of the Board of Health from 1961 to 1970

## IN MEMORIAM



**DR. MARK J. FITZPATRICK**

Member of the Fairhaven Board of Health

### EDUCATION:

B.S. Degree from Merchant Marine Academy in  
Maryland

M.D. from Down State Medical Center in New York  
Master of Public Health in dynamics and maternal  
child health from John Hopkins University

Completed residency in gynecology and obstetrics at  
Columbia Hospital for Women, Washington, D.C.

Former Director of the Kidney Disease and Prevention  
Program for the Federal Department of Health, Education  
and Welfare.

Gynecological consultant for the department's National  
Center for Family Planning Services.

Obstetrical consultant for the National Institute of Health.

Medical Director of the New Bedford Drug Treatment  
Program.

### AFFILIATIONS:

Knights of Columbus

American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology

American College of Emergency Room Physicians

*"Knowledgeable"*

## IN MEMORIAM



JOHN B. HUMPHREYS

Finance Committee member from 1953 to 1955

Member of the Jr. High School Building Committee from 1957 to 1960

Member of the Council on Aging

Attended University of Pittsburgh and received a bachelor of arts degree in industrial engineering from the Pennsylvania State College.

Industrial engineer with the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co.

Member and deacon of the First Congregational Church

Volunteer with the N.B. Chapter of the American Red Cross Chapter Chairman for three years; Fund Chairman for four years; and Chairman of the Committee Service to Military Personnel and their families from 1961 to 1965.

Boy Scouts awarded him the highest council level honor, the Silver Beaver Award from Cachelot Council.

President of the Moby Dick Boy Scout Council from 1973 to 1975; Chairman of the Council Camping and Activities Committee for nine years; Council Commissioner for the Moby Dick Council from 1978.

President of the N.B. Chapter of the American Field Service.

Member of the Board of Directors of the United Way of Greater New Bedford.

Member of S.E. Mass. Health, Planning and Development, Inc. and the S.E. Mass. University Institute for Health and Long Life's executive committee since 1978; affiliated with Coastline Elderly Services, Inc., serving as Chairman of the Advisory Council from 1979 to 1980.

*"Leader"*



## IN MEMORIAM



AVIS M. PILLSBURY

Librarian of the Millicent Library from 1928 through 1953.

Fairhaven High School Librarian

Helped to organize the Fairhaven Boys' Club

Activities included the New Bedford College Club, the Fairhaven Improvement Association, the Fairhaven Colonial Club.

Educated at Brown University Women's College and the University of Illinois Library School.

*"Respected"*

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